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# SHARKEY'S FIGHT

## The Sailor Knocked Out "Kid" McCoy.



TOM SHARKEY, the Victor.

### The "Kid" Put up an Admirable Fight and Knocked Sharkey Down Twice in the Third—McCoy Put Out in the Tenth.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—At the Lenox A. C. last night, Kid McCoy, legitimate, a middleweight pugilist, was knocked out by Tom Sharkey, a heavyweight who now stands next to Bob Fitzsimmons, the champion pugilist of the world. McCoy, having great confidence in himself, went out of his class to meet a man whom he outclassed in science but was not strong enough to finish.

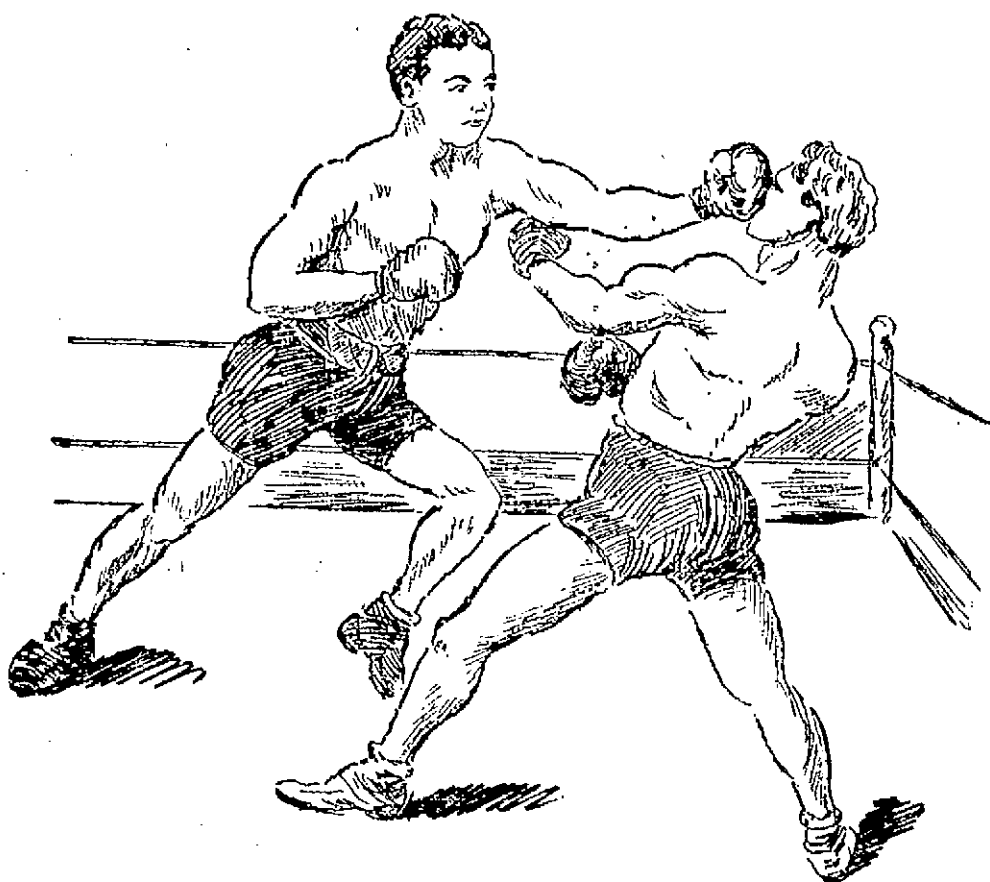
It was a great fight from first to last. Nine rounds had been fought with McCoy dancing round his huge antagonist like a shadow. Sharkey had been knocked flat twice in the third round. From this point he had slowly grown strong again.

In the eighth round he landed a terrific punch on McCoy's solar plexus and the latter bent up like a jackknife.

came out and there was a storm of battle thunderbolts.

For a while the two men mingled in an interrupted whirl. But McCoy's blows seemed to have lost their serpentine cunning. He seemed to have grown gray-skinned and old. In the center of the ring came McCoy's last rush. Summoning all his energies, he jumped forward with an upward whirl of his right fist, which fell on Sharkey's chin. The sailor reared back like a wild horse with his front hoofs in the air. Again McCoy sprang forward like a whirl of rifle smoke and struck like a thousand colts of electricity.

He stopped the big man as a wolf stops a bull. It was McCoy's last rally. On Sharkey's mouth there was a bloody foam. From his throat there came a dull rattle. He rushed at Mc-



SHARKEY MISSES A LEAD AND GETS A HOT COUNTER.

shoulder once with his right.

ROUND TWO.

McCoy ran and feinted until Sharkey tried with his left and missed. Then McCoy drew Sharkey's short right and got his long left hook inside of it. His right followed, but only reached the ear. McCoy missed a left but got in a straight left jolt and then the right. Sharkey feinted and clashed, then rushed and missed by a mile with his right. He tried to corner McCoy but the latter slipped away each time. McCoy's left went full to Sharkey's nose and the sailor came back with eyes

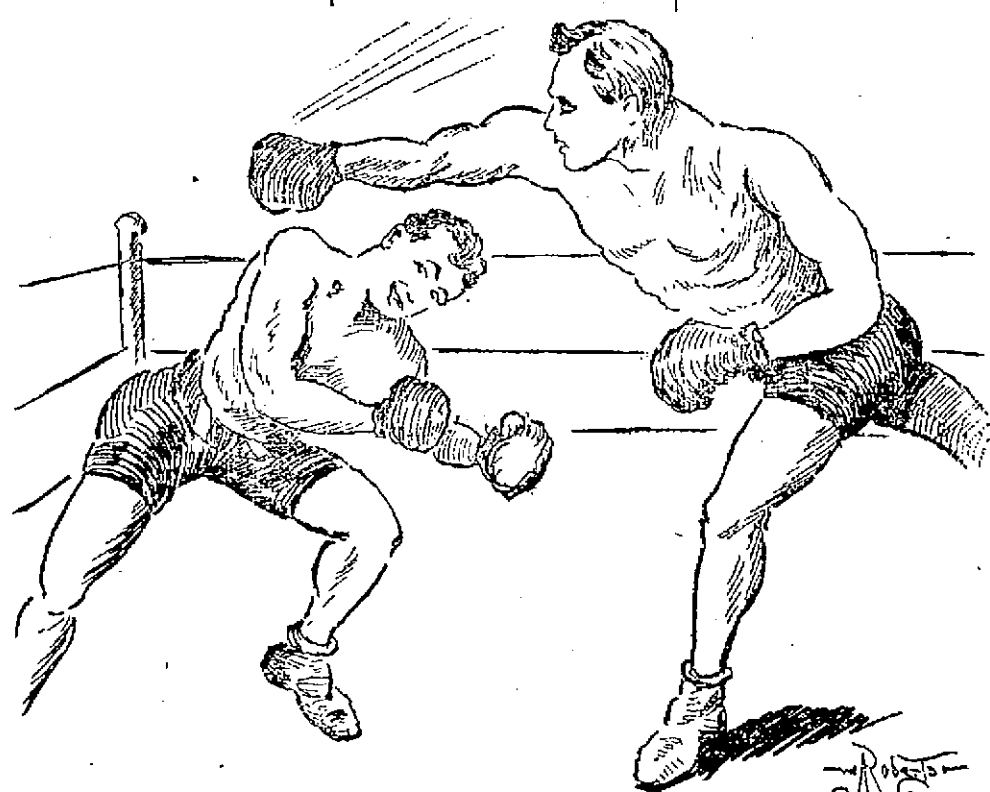
This seemed to annoy Tom who was unused to such quick footwork and McCoy hit his opponent with another quick jab on the nose. Twice around the ring McCoy side-stepped, and at each step forced his left jab, landing lightly. Suddenly the "Kid" stood right and sent his right to the face, repeating the blow within two seconds so hard that Tom fell to the floor. Tom jumped up like a rubber ball rebounding and again he fell to the floor. The bell found them sparring.

ROUND FOUR.

McCoy's footwork was marvelous.

ROUND SIX.

Sharkey was on the aggressive. McCoy was very wary, using his feet to advantage. Tom caught him side-stepping landing a left hook low on the body and another on the ribs close to the heart. McCoy jabbed his left to the face and body but failed to dodge a left hook from Tom which caught him on the neck under the ear. Tom kept on the aggressive and caught McCoy on the ropes without gaining anything. Tom caught McCoy in the face. McCoy jumped to the middle



SHARKEY MAKES A VICIOUS SWING, BUT MCCOY ISN'T THERE.

closed and both hands in the air. McCoy blocked, then slipped in and hugged. Sharkey's right eye was red.

ROUND THREE.

Tom tried to force matters and McCoy, at close quarters, sent his left to the ear and ducked away from a left swing. Each sent lefts to the head at close quarters with little effect, and McCoy's footwork puzzled Tom, who could not land on the breast. Tom then sent his left to the neck, and McCoy jabbed a hard left on the nose.

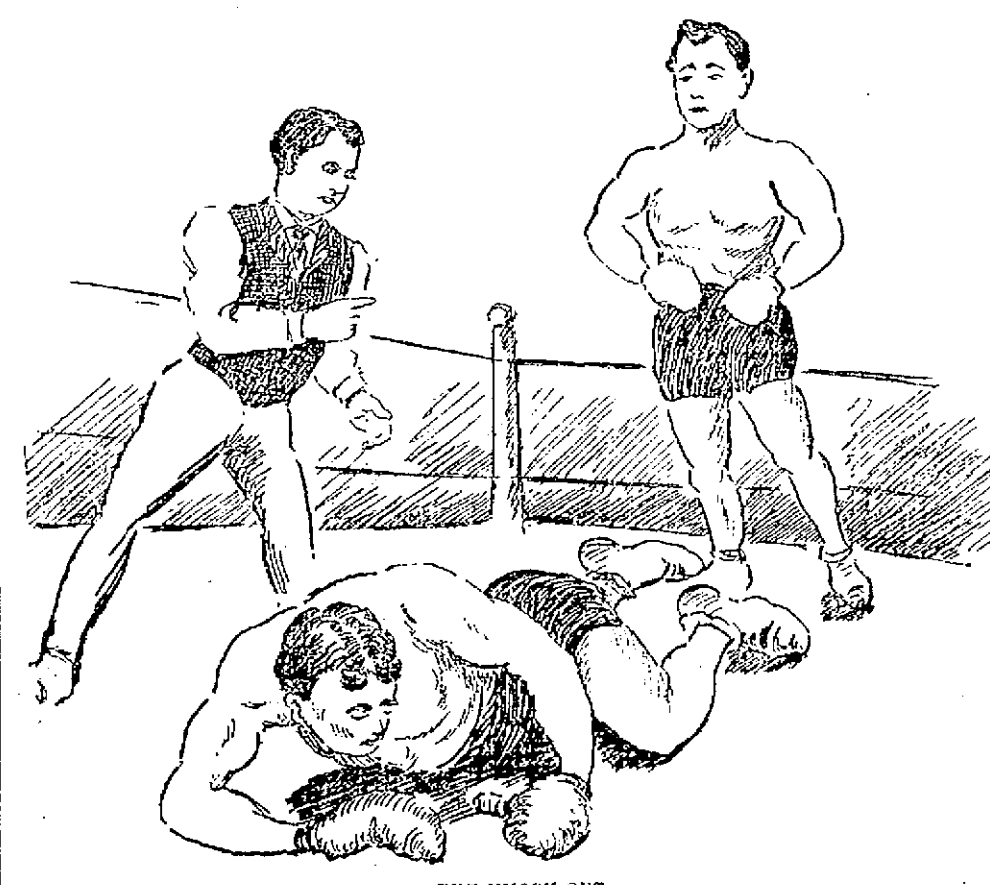
He cut out the pace and Sharkey could not reach him through the Kid's clever side-stepping. Once in a while McCoy would stop and send that long left to the stomach and right on the ear. McCoy countered heavily with his right on the head. Tom kept rushing ineffectually and once he caught McCoy in the neutral corner, sending his left to the right ribs, only landing a glancing blow. Both men were fresh at the end of the round.

hooked his left and sent his right across to the head, but they were glancing blows. At this stage of the game the betting was \$500 even Sharkey would knock out McCoy.

ROUND SEVEN.

Both blocked cleverly for half a minute. Tom swinging his left for the head, McCoy blocked the blows with his elbow and side-stepped out of

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THE KNOCK OUT.

# O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.

A Week of Great Bargains in All Our Fifteen Departments.

75,000 DOLLARS WORTH OF

## Ladies' Cotton Underwear

All made to our special order within the past month to go on sale today at from 1-4 to 1-3 less prices than you might reasonably expect to find them.

NEW AND Dainty EMBROIDERIES, FINE COTTONS AND CAMBRICS ELEGANTLY MADE.

### LADIES' NIGHT ROBES.

60 doz. Night Robes in 4 different styles, Hamburg or tucked yoke, high or low back, good grade cotton, made very full at 49c each. 65 doz. in 5 different styles, Hamburg ruffles and insertion, edging on neck and sleeves, several clusters of fine tucks, an excellent value at 69c each.

55 doz. in different styles including the sailor collar and empire styles, these goods are in every respect as good as any we have ever been able to sell at \$1.25. Price for this sale 98c each.

### CORSET COVERS.

100 doz. made specially for this sale from good quality cotton, high neck, an excellent cover, at 9c each. 100 doz. Hamburg trimmed corset covers, V neck, an excellent grade of cotton, and a very great bargain at 19c each.

### TWO VERY GREAT BARGAINS IN LADIES' DRAWERS.

60 doz. well made plain and umbrella drawers, the greatest bargain you ever saw, at 25c pair.

65 doz. lace and Hamburg trimmed drawers, umbrella style, fine cambric or cotton, a regular 75c value, 49c pair.

### A SPECIAL BARGAIN IN LADIES' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT ROBES.

37 doz. very heavy outing flannel night robes in good colorings, made extra full and ought to retail readily at 89c, on sale today at 59c each.

# O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO.

Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Sts.

### A PRESENTATION.

The roomers of the Don March block and employees of the Don March Company last night presented Mrs. Minnie Swallow a handsome gold watch and chain. Mrs. Swallow is matron of the building and was greatly surprised when presented the gift. Dancing and a general good time was in order after the presentation.

B. O. Taylor Wholes, impart strength and vigor.

Tremendous Sale

OF

## PANTS

We commenced this great sale a week ago. Its success was more than we had dared to anticipate. This coming week we expect still greater crowds, for we have put quick moving prices on over 1000 pairs, cost not considered.

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| \$1.50 Pants for | 98c.   |
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Knee Pants 15c., 25c. 50c., were 30c., 50c., 98c.

We are willing to pay you for helping to reduce our stock.

Lowell One-Price Clothing Company. 72-86 MERRIMACK STREET.

## BLOOD POISON

Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Blood Poison is a disease that is not cured in 15 to 25 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guarantee. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodine, potash, and all have aches and pains. Ulcers, pimples, mouth, nose throat, pimples, copper colored spots, ulcer on any part of the body, but especially on the face, are signs of blood poisoning. BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We will not treat the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a cure we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians; \$500.00 capital behind our unconditional guarantee. Absolute cure sent gratis on application. Address COOK REMEDY CO., 1222 Masonic Temple, Chicago, Ill.

## PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Nervous, weak, bloodless, and for despatch the pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere. 60 cents per box—six for \$3.00. Dr. Wm. L. Chase, Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

## CLOVES

An extra fine unlined imported Clove. Double stitched neck out sealed, exceptionally good for drying, while they last.

\$1.00.

## CAPS

Dent's extra heavy Jersey Caps, with double stitched neck and double visor, warm and durable.

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Leading Haberdashers,

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Opposite Old Boston & Maine Depot. The house is new, under a new management, thoroughly refitted and refurnished, with all the modern improvements, steam heat and electric bell in each room. Electric cars pass the door every ten minutes. Choice cigars in ample room. Special rates to the profession. M. H. Carter, Clerk; H. Gervais.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

We find ourselves overstocked with

Parlor Stoves, Bed Room Stoves and Oil Stoves.

We are not overstocked with money, in fact we are a little short, so

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to make a big cut in prices for spot cash. Buy now as it will pay you well for the investment. Don't forget us this week.

## GAYNOR & CO.

35 Prescott Street.

## UNCOLORED, UNSWEETENED, UNADULTERATED.

Three unusually long words, but they mean much when associated with Graves' Maryland Malt Whiskey. An absolutely PURE and reliable stimulant for use in the sick room and for all wasting diseases. Guaranteed only when the neck of the bottle bears our firm name signature.

CHESTER H. GRAVES & SONS.

Graves' Maryland Malt Whiskey is sold by Licensed Druggists and Grocers everywhere. FULL QUART bottles only; never sold by measure.

### FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

McCoy went round and round, then feinted and Sharkey broke. Sharkey stood and McCoy jabbed him on the body with the left. He tried again with a left at the head, but Sharkey slipped it and they came to a clinch. He feinted Sharkey until his arms were in the air and then jolted him full on the nose with left. A second later he got the left to the body, feinted Sharkey blind and sent a terrific left hand whip to the wind. Then his right missed and they clinched. Sharkey missed five left hooks in succession had his hands in the air all the way through and hit McCoy on the

**THE LOWELL SUN**  
JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor.  
SUN BUILDING, LOWELL, MASS.  
Member of the Associated Press.  
\$3.00 Per Year. 25c. Per Month.

## SEEN BETTER DAYS

There are at least two local papers with less than one-fifth the circulation of *The Sun*. They may have seen better days, but the only remnant of their former glory is the high price they charge for advertising. If the price they ask is a fair one, *The Sun* would be justified in asking five times as much, but we do not ask even twice as much. Don't you see why advertising in *The Sun* is the cheapest in Lowell? *The Sun* has a larger circulation than any two papers in the city. It is in every respect

## LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

General Shafter was denied a place on the floor of the house of representatives at Washington on Monday, and justly so. This is an honor granted to men of distinction, and although Shafter may claim to be worthy of such an honor, yet his undignified manner and his admitted failure as a military commander have disgusted the nation, so that in most cases he is looked upon with contempt, rather than as a patriot and a hero. He had no right to the privilege of the House and his exclusion was just and proper.

The South Boston district is this year making a vigorous fight against getting a surplus of liquor licenses. Last year it had to make a similar fight, against being flooded with licenses. The license limit in Boston is one to each five hundred of population but the commissioners would give South Boston one for every two hundred and fifty population if the people did not raise any objection. At present it is announced that forty licenses are to be granted in South Boston which is about one-half more than the law would permit on the basis of population. Of course the law does not insist that the licenses shall be distributed within the limits of the city according to population, as in most cases they are located in close proximity to the business districts while some parts of the city, notably the residential portions, have no licenses at all. It is all right to grant no licenses in residential districts, but it is all wrong to crowd too many into any particular district.

It is rather surprising to find the civil service commission, which should not dabble in small politics, trying to defeat the appointment of a young lady to a position at city hall framed by ordinance. The civil service idea would perhaps be all right if it would only oppose partisan appointments and award all positions on the basis of merit alone; but we regret to say that the civil service commission has too often been made the cat's paw of small politicians. The civil service rules are all very good, but they are not lived up to by the commission. The civil service commission like the legislature of Massachusetts is very often appealed to by politicians to win some personal fight and in this particular case we understand the fight is against the young woman not particularly on the ground of qualification but because somebody else wants the place who, perhaps, is not as well qualified to perform its duties. The sooner we get rid of this species of civil service reform the better it will be for all concerned.

**SENATOR HOAR'S SPEECH.**  
Senator Hoar's speech against the policy of expansion is one of the best that has been delivered for years in the United States senate and it is doubtful if there is another man in the senate capable of making such a grand argument upon any question. In his speech our senior senator has brought renown upon himself, honor upon the state he represents and lustre upon the senate. The brilliant oration is replete with citations from the highest constitutional authorities, showing that to assume sovereignty over the Philippines would be not only a gross injustice to them but opposed to the spirit and letter of our constitution, as well as a continual menace to the peace and happiness and prosperity of the American people. Senator Hoar's appeal may not be effective in breaking up the plans of the republican party in its lust for conquest and empire, but that single speech in fragments and quotations, it may be, will percolate throughout this nation until every citizen is convinced of the danger and injustice if not the unconstitutionality and the tyranny of holding vast possessions and assuming sovereignty over

a portion of Malaysia under the claim that we have purchased Spain's sovereignty therein. When William Jennings Bryan gets such an eloquent supporter as Senator Hoar to back him up in his contention there is little doubt of his complete victory.

## THE RAILROAD HORROR.

Another railroad horror has been added to the long list which has shocked the people of this country during the past year. The collision on the Lehigh Valley road on Monday could have been caused only by extreme stupidity and criminal negligence. It occurred on a double track road while one of the tracks were blocked by a freight wreck. The single-track for a space of six miles for a time was used for trains in both directions and under the circumstances it would seem to be the highest stupidity for the officials of the road to run trains in opposite directions at the same time on this same piece of track. Nevertheless this is just what occurred and what caused the terrible catastrophe in which thirteen persons were killed outright and perhaps fifty injured for life. The management of the road is clearly responsible and should be severely punished, although judging from the influence which railroad companies have with the state legislature and even with congress, and perhaps we might also say with some grand juries, the parties liable in this case are likely to go scot free.

Mayor Quincy of Boston is making a strong fight against the erection of sky-scraping buildings in that city. There is one named Hudson Hall on Commonwealth avenue of eleven stories in height, and the residents of that fashionable avenue are agitating for the removal of four or five stories of this building in order that it may not tower so high above the others. They are afraid, perhaps, that in case of a cyclone or even a hurricane one-half of this building might be blown over on the neighboring buildings and apart from this consideration some of the residents think it does not look well to have such a disparity in the height of the buildings. The owner of Hudson Hall on this point is quite unconcerned. He holds that if Mayor Quincy's suggestion for the decapitation of his building is carried out, he will be well recompensed for the change and he suggests that if the other residents dislike the disparity in the height of the buildings they should make theirs as high as his. However, this sky-scraper seems to shock the artistic sense of the residents of Commonwealth avenue and it has even appeared to Mayor Quincy's architectural taste and he says that there should be more symmetry in the buildings. It is remarkable that nothing was said while the building was being erected beyond the fact that nobody knew just where it was going to stop or whether the owner was attempting to rival the historic tower of Babel.

Considerable of a furor has been caused in New York by the fact that pugilistic bouts by girls on the stage have been prohibited by the police. They were carried on at Koster & Blum's theatre in which Clary Loftus, wife of Justin H. McGurthy, was playing and he protested that he would withdraw his better half unless this disagreeable feature was stopped. It has been stopped by the police and Clary Loftus will pursue the even tenor of her way at the theatre as long as the public interest is sufficient to make her engagement a paying investment.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

Springfield Republican—Sincerely it is to be hoped that the difficulties in the Philippines may be adjusted without bloodshed and satisfactorily to the people of those islands. That if it shall come to pass that American shot and shell are employed to suppress an admittedly orderly and obedient native government in any spot upon the islands, one of the blackest acts in all our history will have been committed, which will follow the administrative responsibility for it to defeat and infamy.

Worcester Telegram—More men, women and children are starving in Havana today than at any time during the many months that the United States was being stirred by stories of starvation under Spanish rule. Havana is dying of overpopulation by slighted, neglected, and neglected and neglected. The United States government is in control of the city, and is doing nothing to lessen the hardships. Have we not been "humanized" nearly a year ago we started out to feed the people of Cuba, but have not yet given them a crumb. That makes a long while between drinks, and raises a question as to whether we are a howling success in the big drug trade.

Boston Post—The growth of public sentiment favoring the inclusion of telephone companies among those over which the state exercises supervision, in behalf of the people has been notably great during the year. The strongest business sentiment of the state is behind the movement for state reduction in the popular demand for reduction in telephone rates, which can be secured only through the intervention of an impartial tribunal of arbitration between the users and the corporation has been most emphatic. As in the case of gas and electric lighting, it is seen that relief and security for the public are not to be gained by opening the doors to competition but by a wise and judicious system of state control. This is in line with the policy of the state already established, with most beneficial results in respect to other public and quasi-public services. The telephone service falls properly within this class. That point was definitely settled when the American Bell Telephone company came before the legislature asking exceptions from the usual restrictions upon the issue of additional capital



HENRY CABOT LODGE, Re-nominated for Senator by the Republicans of Massachusetts.

## MRS. GILL DEAD

She Was a Sister of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

## HER ROMANTIC COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE.

She Aspired to Literary Honors.

BOSTON, Jan. 11, 1899.—Over the cable flashed yesterday the announcement that Mrs. William Fearing Gill had died in Paris.

This announcement conveyed but little to the people of Boston, but to some it recalled incidents of long ago that today give the news of the death of Mrs. Gill considerable interest.

She was the eldest sister of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and was beautiful and talented. She aspired to literary honors and attained some reputation as a writer of novels, her best book being "Sweet Scented Grass."

Her maiden name was Edith Wynne and her birthplace (Chilmark) was in the town of Chilmark, Massachusetts. Her husband was William Fearing Gill, the son of Thomas Gill, who during the regime of Edward Greene, was a writer on the Post.

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Genevieve Callahan, North Billerica; \$5. Mr. Eugene O'Neill; Mr. James Monahan; \$5. A friend; who and fruit for the aged women. Mrs. Peter T. Corcoran, High street; fruit, nuts, etc. for aged women, a friend; toys, Mrs. C. M. Williams; Christmas tree, toys and candy, Mrs. Matthew Murphy, East Merrimack street; fowl, Mr. East Merrimack street; fowl, Mr. Hanley of Collinsville; lace for chapel altar, Miss M. A. Horan, Ballardville, and for sisters and pupil nurses, Mrs. E. A. S. Franklin and assistant member of the staff, ready for children, Misses Lizzie and Katie McNamara, 419 Broadway; cranberries, Mr. Clough of Pelham, N. H.; apples, Mr. J. Bennett of Fowler road. Beside contributing to the Christmas tree, Misses Alice Leahy, Theresa Parker, and Stella Drury assisted Mrs. Matthew Murphy in its decoration and arrangement.

## SHE MUST DIE

MRS. PLACE TO BE FIRST FEMALE VICTIM OF ELECTRIC CHAIR. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 10.—The Court of Appeals to-day denied a new trial to Mrs. Martha Place of Brooklyn, sentenced to death for the murder of her stepdaughter, Ida Place, whom she smothered Feb. 7 last.

This refusal to grant a new trial means that the sentence of death shall be carried out and the woman electrocuted. She will be the first woman in this State to suffer the death penalty in the electric chair.

## BAD RUNAWAY

HACK HORSES RUN AWAY ON DUTTON ST.—DRIVER INJURED.

An exciting and dangerous runaway occurred on Dutton street yesterday afternoon when a pair of horses attached to one of Stable Keeper McNulty's hacks took flight at an electric car.

The horses dashed into Liberty St. and were forced on the sidewalk by an electric car. There they collided with a stone post and electric light pole smashing the hack in several places. They were caught and held before they could get out of the maze of teams. The horses were covered with sweat and appeared to have come quite a distance, but no one could tell just where they started from. The driver's cushion and a blanket were picked up on Dutton street. Later the Central street car and then thrown out on Dutton street was found near the hack badly bruised and was taken to his home in the ambulance.

## La Grippe

It's here again! The doctors say it mostly attacks the weak, the thin, those with poor blood and nerves all unstrung. Escape is easy, simply by taking

## Scott's Emulsion

The oil is the very best food for making rich blood and producing force and energy. The hypophosphites give stability and strength to the nerves. The germ of La Grippe cannot affect a body thus fortified.

5c. and 10c. all druggists.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Robert Tweed, late of Lowell in said County, deceased, I do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the will of said deceased, as the same is on file in said Court.

Whereas a petition was presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. McElroy of Lowell in said County, to and to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-third day of January, A. D. 1899, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And I do hereby direct to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, the tenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

S. H. POLSON, Register.

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TO LET—Twenty rooms, newly furnished, situated in the corner of Merrimack and Central streets, in Lowell. Hot and cold water. Rent, \$100 per month. Call on the premises at any time.

FOR SALE—Near Lawrence street, a new 7 room cottage house, large lot of land, good water, close to St. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On the Highlands, two story house with all the modern improvements, large lot of land, corner of Merrimack and Central streets. Price only \$2000. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

**SEVEN SUTHERLAND SISTERS' HAIR GROWER**  
Is a positive and perfectly safe cure for baldness. NO DYE. AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

## THE BROWNIES

HELD A SOCIAL DANCE WITH THEIR FRIENDS.

The Brownies held a delightfully social dance last night in Prescott hall, which was attended by friends of the club. Preceding the dancing engagements Hubbard's orchestra rendered a pretty overture. The dance concluded with the "Midnight Bell." The officers in charge:

General Manager, James A. Finney;

Assistant general manager, Walter F. King; floor marshal, Dan. Berry;

Assistant floor marshal, Fred O'Brien;

Chief aid, John Egan; aids, Michael Phelan, John Connors; treasurer, Wm. McLaughlin.

## THE SAME OLD STORY.

TOLD ON THE STREETS OF LOWELL AS WELL AS ELSEWHERE.

Some things you cannot tell too often.

Repetition gives them added strength.

The same old story is pleasant to hear.

When it brings happiness to home.

Brings joy to the afflicted.

Tells how the burden can be raised.

How the back can be relieved.

All the pains and aches removed.

Lowell people tell this story.

Friends and neighbors talk of it.

They tell their neighbors, tell their friends.

They tell you about their kidney his.

How they suffered, how the cure came.

What they think of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's what a citizen says:

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"Long Reach" and all leading makes for

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Hoppe lots near the new Moody street bridge on the principal streets and avenues with all modern improvements, such as gas, city water, sewer, schools, etc. The location is in the best of the city, being by actual measurement only 0.025 foot from the corner of the Moody street bridge to the Emery land. Over 200 buildings have been built on the Emery land in the last two years. It is not a good thing to have property going to be sold for a long time. Prices low. Terms easy.

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Patent Ash Sifter.

The ash sifter is put in at the top, turned over, and the dust is sifted out, leaving the ash clean and free from dust. No dust of ashes can escape in the operation. For Sale by

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25c. TO \$3.50 PER SET.

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The Up-Town Hardware Store,

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## A Clearance Sale

Of Freshwater, embroidery, Men's, Women's, Misses', Boys' and Children's Shoes at 25c. of the regular price.

We need the room these goods take up for our spring and a, and therefore we offer them at a sacrifice of almost 50 cents on the dollar. The stock of money is always a pressure, but at this sale it will be wondrous.

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## OF THE CAMPAIGN

Issues Aply Discussed by Ex-Gov. Aligeld.

## PARTY STANDS BY CHICAGO PLATFORM

And Will Add an Anti-Expansion Plan.

The great speech delivered by ex-Gov. Aligeld at Omaha on Jackson Day is well worth perusal and is printed here as it was contained in Monday's paper. It was substantially as follows:

"Since the first reading of the Declaration of Independence over 230 confederations that were republican in form have been adopted. Most of them perished but they will rise again. Now the foundations are being pulled from under our own institutions. The very basis of liberty are being betrayed by the men set to guard them.

Look about you. Nearly all of the wealth of this land is passing into a few hands and not one of these hands have come to the freedom of the citizen. Every great industrial, commercial, mining or transportation enterprise is passing into the hands, first of corporations and then by further consolidation into the hands of trusts which have an absolute monopoly, a monopoly which can arbitrarily put a monopoly which has no soul and whose chief purpose is to plunder the public. The monopolist and the speculator prosper but the masses wither. Men of moderate fortunes and of fair incomes who were the bulwark of the republic are slowly but surely being wiped out. We are being reduced to two classes: in the first stage these will be known as the very rich and the moderately poor and in the second stage as the masters and the slaves. We have established a monied aristocracy and are now fastening a yoke on posterity. A standing army is to be enthroned and bayonet argument is to govern.

Republican institutions cannot live amid these conditions. Wealth has never been the friend of liberty. Our institutions today are in danger of these changes we hear the snarling voices of Jefferson and Lincoln that made our country great and mighty.

About two months ago the New York Chamber of Commerce gave a banquet and the president of that body asked the assembled guests to drink to the health of the British Queen before drinking the health of the president of the United States and it was done. He said the president would consent to this if he were there. To be sure this will not shake our republic; but it does show the tendency of thought among certain classes. It shows that the stock jobbers, the speculators and the financial wolves have no more love for our institutions today than they had in 1776, when they sided with England, or in 1861, when they sided with the confederacy.

From the same source comes the manila talk of an alliance with England. We are to repeat the experience of the Irish and lie down with the lion and we have treaties and flunkies in America who would consider it a privilege to lie inside the lion.

Other great questions vital to our existence have been evolved by the age and must be met. But the financial question is basic and central. It is the mother of a whole brood of evils.

What about it? Well, my friends, it is not in our power to change this. It is impossible to get anything away from the time. Change the ratio and the whole case dissolves. To drop the ratio is to betray the cause.

This is an age of concentration in all things and the formation of private monopolies in particular. In harmony with the law as it has stood for centuries we have denounced this but to no purpose. We have legislated against it but in vain. When they could not defeat legislation by bribery they went before some subservient federal judge and had it declared unconstitutional. Our remedy has failed. Private monopoly is as injurious and as much of a crime as ever and we cannot stop its birth; we must change our tactics and convert private monopolies into public monopolies. Give the whole public the benefits of the monopoly instead of the few individuals. Let the government take them. This is not socialization. It is simply protecting the people and therefore is democracy in its broadest sense. The European people fight socialism but get the greatest benefits from collective ownership.

There are hundreds of things that the public cannot do. But there are a great many that it can, should and must do. It has been demonstrated that municipalities can successfully and very profitably own and operate water, gas and electric light plants, street railway systems and a number of other things. The American people are prepared to move along this line and every such step by helping the people will help the democracy. The American people are also prepared to take

the telegraph and telephone monopoly and make them part of the post office and thus not only cheapen the service by one-half but make the telegraph neutral in politics. Ours is almost the only great government in the world that does not own the telegraph lines.

I believe that our people are also prepared for postal savings banks and widening the functions of the postal department. It is safe and very cheap to the public. All say yes, this is a fight against money and we have none. This is true, but no great moral and political reform ever rested on money. If the sugar trust or the Standard Oil trust would give us ten millions of dollars to make a campaign without our cause would be lost. It would be Clevelandism over again. Even if we won the election our moral force would be gone and we would accomplish nothing. It is the armor of devotees that shakes empires and we must win this fight by a self-sacrificing manhood. Men with their eyes cannot help us. I hear the derisive laughter of Mark Hanna at the mention of manhood. But my friend, American manhood will yet survive to throw the desecrated line of oblivion upon his polluted grave.

## DISGUSTING "HUGGER"

AN UNKNOWN MAN MAKES HIMSELF OMINOUS TO LAW-RENCE FEMALES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 10.—The local police are again after the Prospector hill hugger.

The other night he got in his fine work, and in a most bold manner as if defying identification and detection. This is probably where he made one of the most important mistakes of his life, for him, and a good one for the residents of the hill.

The facts of the case are these: Miss Margaret Kirk is one of the most esteemed clerks at the great store of Kirk and Hughes, ladylike and refined in every way. She is small of stature. A few evenings ago after her work was finished she was going home in company with her sister and a friend when near the corner of Pleasant street she was seized from behind about the waist. Naturally she was much startled, but supposed it the rough joke of some acquaintance. The persistence and familiarity of the fellow, however, seriously frightened her and her two friends, and Miss Kirk's struggles and outcries at last compelled him to relinquish his grasp, when she and her friends saw the fellow, utterly.

He was probably 35 years of age, very dark, needed shaving badly, wore his cap down low, as if for concealment, and wore a short heavy coat. As his victims broke away he ran a short distance down the street under the glare of the light and then made as if he intended to return, but Miss Kirk and her companions were now thoroughly frightened and lost to time in getting home, which luckily was near.

The matter has been reported to the police and it is probable that Miss Kirk will shortly be called into court to identify the fellow, that is if he has not slipped away. He is not a slipper man. He is not a slipper man. He is not a slipper man.

It is peculiar that all these assaults should be on Prospect hill.

As one of the hill's most prominent residents of the hill will not dare to stir out evenings until this fellow is "juggled." There is not much doubt but what he soon will be.

## J. FRANK HADLEY

DEAD AT FALL RIVER.

J. Frank Hadley died suddenly at his home on Linden street, Fall River, Monday, of heart disease. For six months he had been ill with the dropsy, and his sufferings were so acute that he had to sleep in a chair. Ten minutes before he died he read the paper. He attempted to rise, but tottered and fell dead. Deceased was 49 years of age and for the greater part of his life had been connected with the carding department of the mills of Lowell, as overseer. He was very well known among the mill men of this city. He leaves a widow and seven children, the oldest being Charles M. Hadley, the timekeeper in the street department of Fall River. The remains were interred at Pittsfield.

## MANAGER SKIPPED

H. B. Tucker, lesser and manager of the Harbor theatre on Purchase street, New Bedford, has left the city and today, the owner of the building, where the theatre was conducted, actors, actresses and attaches are mourning the fact. These people were under contract for the week at salaries ranging from \$15 to \$25 each, and were left practically stranded. The players, consulted with the owner of the building and received permission to run the show and get what they could in a performance to get them to Boston, where they had friends.

The performances were given and the people connected with the play received about \$2.50 each. Tucker is said to have gotten away with about \$25 and is alleged to be in Lowell where he is quite well known.

Philip J. Farley, Esq., has returned to town very much improved in health.

Miss Margaret Johnston has returned from a seven weeks' vacation spent at her old home in Chateaugay, N. Y. She reports a pleasant time and her smile is broader than ever.

## VESSEL ON FIRE FRENCH CHAMBER DREYFUS INQUIRY

Blaze Was Discovered in the Bunkers.

## SAILORS OVERCOME BY SMOKE

And Were Burned to Death.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 10.—News by steamer from Japan says: The second-class Japanese cruiser Katsuragi was wrecked at Anoy, a port of Japan, as the result of a fire that broke out during the storm at sea. Several of the crew of the cruiser were burned to death and many others badly injured. The Katsuragi was a wooden vessel of the old style and had on board a number of soldiers beside her regular crew. When a few days out and in the midst of a gale a fire was discovered in one of the bunkers at the rear of the engines. The Japanese crew behaved with great bravery and streams of water were soon playing on the fire. At this juncture an accident to the machinery made it necessary for some one to go down the galley. It was a case of almost sure death. Two men volunteered to go down. Before they got to the machinery in need of repair, the smoke overcame them. No one would go in after them and the fire soon consumed their bodies. The vessel is reported at Amoy.

## THE LOWELL MEN

Who Hold Important Committee Positions.

## SEN. PUTNAM CHAIRMAN OF MANUFACTURES.

Rep. Ames Chairman of Street Railway Committee.

The representatives to the senate and legislature from Lowell and vicinity have been assigned to the following legislative committees by President Smith and Speaker Bates:

Senator Putnam—Chairman of manufactures and of public service; on rules and on printing committees.

Representative Hayes—House chairman on cities, on rules, one of the monitors of second division.

Representative Ames—House chairman of street railways.

Representative Watson—On ways and means committee.

Representative Mansfield—On committee on counties.

Representative Varney—On committee on water supply.

Representative Quigley, Chelmsford—On military affairs.

Representative Sparks, of Dracut—Committee on prisons.

McCLELLAND GETS DECISION Owing to his opponent's misfortune.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 10.—Jack McClelland of this city and Luke Stevens of Buffalo, featherweights, fought 13 hot rounds last night at Homestead.

McClelland received the decision before the end of the 13th round because Stevens broke his left arm and could not proceed. While neither man had any decided advantage in the fight, Stevens seemed to have the best of it.

## A NEW TRIAL

ORDERED BY COURT OF APPEALS IN RUSSELL, SAGE'S CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 10.—The court of appeals today reversed the judgment of \$18,000 secured by William H. Laidlaw, Jr., against Russell Sage and ordered a new trial. Laidlaw was in Sage's office at the time of Norcross's attempt on Mr. Sage's life and he secured the judgment on the ground that Sage had used him as a shield against the effects of an explosion.

## THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Wednesday morning, followed by cloudiness and probable snow; colder tonight, followed by warmer during Wednesday; north to northeast winds.

SCHOONER FORTUNA BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Jan. 10.—The three masted schooner, Fortuna, which was partially wrecked on Cape Islands Rocks, a week ago Sunday, was discovered on fire this morning and continued to burn till a total loss. The greater portion of the cargo was saved. The vessel is thought to have been set on fire.

## AN EDITOR SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The Magdeburg court has sentenced Herr August Mueller, editor of the Socialist Volks-Zimmer, to forty-nine months imprisonment on the charge of lese majeste.

## SPANISH GUNBOAT FLEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 10.—The Spanish gunboat fleet consisting of four vessels is calling here and will sail for Spain today via the island of Martinique. Orders have been received to provide coal for twelve other Spanish vessels.

## SHORT OF COAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 10.—The steamer George Houston, Queenstown to New York, is reported coming into the harbor. She is thought to be short of coal.

Was Re-Opened Today Amid Great Excitement.

## POLICE HELD BACK THE CROWD.

M. Deschanel Was Chosen President.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The French chamber re-opened today and the Palais Bourbon where the chamber of deputies sits was crowded. Everything points to a stormy sitting of the deputies. It is expected that a vote of confidence will be taken and that it will possibly lead to the fall of the ministry. All the streets in the vicinity of the Palais Bourbon are lined with excited crowds which are kept in order by an imposing force of police and republican guards. The well known deputies were received with mingled cheers and hooting. An enthusiastic deputy offered his seat to M. Queveny de Beaurepierre, the former president of the civil section of the court of cassation, who has just resigned that office and attacked the court on the ground that it is in favor of Dreyfus. The session was opened at 2:10 p. m. under the presidency of the senior member of the house, M. Charles Haysat, radical republican, representing the Chalon-sur-Saone division of Saone-et-Loire.

Addressing the deputies, M. Haysat implored them to put an end to the "painful and dangerous divisions" and to attain become "calm and self-reliant, side by side with our valiant army." (Cheers.)

The chamber shortly afterwards re-elected M. Deschanel to the presidency of the house by a vote of 223 against 137 votes cast for M. Brisson.

## HON. W. A. RUSSELL

Former Lawrence Man Died in Boston Today.

## SERVED IN CONGRESS FROM THIS DISTRICT

Was Prominent in Republican Politics.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Hon. William A. Russell died early this morning from an attack of apoplexy at his home in this city.

Mr. Russell was born in Weymouth, Mass., April 22, 1831, and after graduating from Franklin Academy, began his work in the pulp mill, owned by his father, who was a pioneer in the paper industry in New England. Five years later this son was taken into partnership and the pulp mill was removed to Lawrence, Mass. Soon after this his father retired owing to ill health and the son assumed control of the business which grew rapidly.

In 1857 Mr. Russell was elected alderman in the city of Lawrence. In the next year he was chosen a member of the legislature. In 1859 he was also chosen a delegate to the National Republican convention at Cincinnati.

He was elected a member of the 46th Congress from 5th Mass. district and served on the committee of commerce, being also a member of the sub-committee to investigate the cause of the decline of American commerce. He was re-elected to congress, serving on the committee on ways and means. Yielding to the demand of his constituents, he was again nominated by acclamation and elected to the 48th congress. In 1881 he declined a re-election to the 49th congress. At the place of his congressional life, Mr. Russell made his winter home in Boston, and passed his summers on the Northshore and at his farm in North Andover.

Mr. Russell was a director of the Fitchburg railroad and president of the Fitchburg and several children survive him.

He was twice president of the Commercial club. He was twice

minister to Austria-Hungary.

He was Brigadier-General, Col. John B. Castleman, First Kentucky Volunteer Infantry; Col. Thomas H. Barber, First New York Volunteer Infantry.

To Assistant Adjutant General, with the rank of Major; Captain Charles G. Deal, Assistant Adjutant General U. S. Volunteers.

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Reported in Paris that the

## WILL BE IN FAVOR OF DREYFUS.

One of the Judges Has Resigned.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, Jan. 10.—The resignation of M. Quesnay de Beaurup, president of the civil section of the court of cassation, has revived interest in the Dreyfus case, which had calmed down during the past few days, to the fever point. The anti-Dreyfusites are doing everything possible to discredit the court of cassation, as it is generally accepted in the best informed circles that the court is preparing to render judgment in favor of Dreyfus.

The cabinet met this afternoon under the presidency of President Faure, who issued a decree accepting the resignation of M. de Beaurup and appointing Counsellor Ballet de Beaurup to succeed him.

The minister of Justice, Mr. Lebert, announced that Mr. Mazecau, the first president of the court of cassation, will preside over the criminal section of the court instead of M. Loew, when the Dreyfus inquiry is terminated and the court meets to take a decision.

This step has been taken in consequence of the violent attacks on M. Loew, based on the fact that he is a Jew.

The minister also read the telegraphic deposition from Dreyfus, in which he not only declared he had never confessed that he was guilty to Captain Lebrun-Desbault, who had charge of the prisoner at the time of his condemnation and degradation, but insisted that he had always protested his innocence and had intimated, after his degradation on the parade ground of the military school at Paris his intention to declare publicly that his innocence would be recognized in two or three years.

It was also cabled from Cayenne that the prisoner denied that he had made any avowal to the director of the prison in which he was confined after his condemnation. Dreyfus added that Col. Paty du Clam came to him there and asked him if he had not revealed certain documents with the view of obtaining others in exchange and he, Dreyfus, replied that he had not revealed the contents of any document.

Dreyfus, in his cabled deposition, concluded with reiterating that he had no confession to a republican guard and gendarme and that on the contrary he had always declared that his innocence would be proved in two or three years.

## ANNUAL MEETING

OF NEARLY ALL THE NATIONAL BANKS IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The annual meetings of stockholders of Boston banks were held today in about two-thirds of the national banks of Boston. The meetings today were of unusual interest as during the year the number of banking institutions has been reduced by a dozen, the amount of banking capital by exactly \$10,000,000, three new banks, the National Hamilton, taking the place of the Hamilton National; the National Shawmut taking the place of the Shawmut National; and the Colonial National taking the place of the Manufacturers and then combined interests have been instituted.

Trilling details of the effort of the savings banks syndicate to liquidate the Boston national banks has been successfully carried out. The banks which are in process of liquidation held their annual meetings just as did all the others, but the appointment of boards of directors was a simple formality.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The President today sent the following nominations to the senate:

Charlesmen Tower, of Pennsylvania, now minister to Austria-Hungary, to be Ambassador to Russia.

Addison C. Harris of Indiana, to be Minister to Austria-Hungary.

Minister to Germany, Col. John B. Castleman, First Kentucky Volunteer Infantry; Col. Thomas H. Barber, First New York Volunteer Infantry.

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## WORKING WOMEN WHO SUFFER.

Should Get Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—The Whole Truth can be Told to her Because she is a Woman.

The suffering and pain endured by some working women is almost past belief. There is a letter from one of the multitude of women who have been restored to health and usefulness by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I feel as though your advice had lifted me from the grave. I must have been very near it. I suffered terribly at times of menstruation, was constantly troubled with cold hands and feet, was extremely nervous, could not sleep well, was troubled with frightened dreams, had heart trouble and a feeling as though my breath was going to stop, also had leucorrhoea. I tried to get help but all remedies failed, until I wrote to you. I cannot thank you enough for your kind advice, and I wish to tell every one the great good your remedies have done me.—JESSIE C. BOYER, Wollastone, Md.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a quarter of a century has been helping women to be strong and well.

The following statement from Miss H. Patterson, of 2531 Lawrence St., Philadelphia, Pa., should interest all working women who are troubled with female complaints:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I must write and tell what your medicine has done for me. I am a working girl and have to stay at my work all day. I suffered greatly with bearing-down pains and backache. I was advised by a friend to try your Vegetable Compound. I did so and can say positively I am cured. I have recommended your medicine to all my lady friends, and would advise any of my sex suffering from female weakness to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound a trial, for I know it will cure."

Mrs. Pinkham invites all women troubled about their health to write to her at Lynn, Mass., and secure her advice free of all charge. All such letters are seen and answered by women only.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

## SENATOR MASON

Makes a Plea for the Filipinos.

"GIVE THEM THEIR INDEPENDENCE"

And Make Them Friends Forever."

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—At the beginning of today's session of the senate, Mr. Chandler introduced a resolution for the distribution of appropriation bills. He stated that the text of the resolution was the same as that now before the senate committee on rules. He therefore asked that the present resolution be placed on the calendar, stating that either he or Mr. Carter would move to take it up at an early day.

The senate passed a bill authorizing the secretary of agriculture to prepare a report showing the average fluctuations from year to year in year of farm products.

Mr. Mason (Ill.) took the floor for his announced speech upon his resolution declaring that all just powers of the government are derived from the consent of the governed and that the United States will make no attempt to govern any people against their will.

In the course of his speech, Senator Mason said:

For over one hundred years every power of liberty has pointed to this sentence of the Declaration of Independence: "That all just powers of government are derived from the consent of the governed," as a reason for their fight for liberty. This sentence has been a pillar of fire by night and has stirred the hearts of the oppressed all over the world. In the light of this sentence crowns have fallen into dust, and the foundation of republics have been laid. You ask for expansion. See how we have expanded in the time since this sentence was written. Not only have republics started up in place of monarchies, but monarchies have themselves gradually broadened into Constitutional governments, getting nearer and nearer to the voice of the people. Our own was the first great republic and in the better and broader sense, our flag floats from the dome of every republic.

The other day when the distinguished Senator from Massachusetts asked of the Senator from Connecticut (Platt) what he was going to do with the sentence that "All just powers of government are derived from the consent of the governed," he answered:

Mr. President, when any great cause which is agitating the minds of the people needs for its defense such shallow and un-American evasions as this that cause will not live long in the minds of intelligent people.

The Philippines representative is begging to treat with us as to his own land. He acknowledges our military service. There is no honest commercial treaty that any honest nation could ask that they are not willing to consent to. They want liberty as we did and when seventy million people have heard their cry for mercy and independence, the father in New England will plead for the father in Manila; the mother in Illinois will pray for the poor mother

in the Philippines.

THE YORCKTOWN

WILL SAIL TODAY TO JOIN DEW-BY AT MANILA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 10.—The United States battleship USS Oregon will sail today for Manila via Honolulu. She will sail all the way under a full head of steam and should make the run in three weeks if she is not delayed at Honolulu. She is the bearer of full instructions to Admiral Dewey and General Otis in regard to the situation in the Philippines.

# THE STATE POLICE

## The Annual Report of Chief Wade.

### IS A DOCUMENT OF 452 PAGES.

#### The Sweating System Ably Referred to.

The annual report of Chief Rufus B. Wade, of the Massachusetts State Police, is a document of 452 pages. On the subject of the sweating system the report says:

From statements secured from our large wholesale clothing merchants it appears that not only is Boston losing in the amount of clothing manufactured within her borders, but also are our country towns and villages throughout New England, and New York city is reaping the benefit. While each dealer's report differs as to the per cent. made in Boston, New York and the country, yet by comparing them it is very nearly accurate to find the amount made of men's clothing in Boston at 50 per cent., in New York 20 per cent., and in New England 10 per cent. Of boys' and children's clothing 75 per cent. is made in New York and the other 25 per cent. about equally divided between Boston and the country. This shows an increase in the amount of New York work, and, also, where formerly only the cheap grade of goods was sent there, now much of the finer grades are being sent. The only fair reason to be deducted is that the work is sent there simply because it is cheaper.

That a city like Boston, protected by a sweating law that guarantees very nearly perfect safety from contagious disease should be gradually losing its trade in favor of less protected cities can only be remedied by either national or State laws.

There is little in the method of doing this work by contract and letting it out to sub-contractors that calls for criticism, except in the scramble which invites contracts for very low wages. The poorest of the poor among these garment workers feel obliged to accept wages little above starvation rates. The expense for lights, rent, fuel and helpers must be the lowest possible, in order that some slight profit may accrue. Is it not strange that men are found to do this work, who succeed only by sweating the life blood out of those compelled to labor under the worst conditions? The work is most frequently done by the piece, and thus the hours of labor are wholly unrestricted. The family eat, sleep and perform the functions of life in the same apartment in which the work is done.

Under the title "Inspection of boilers," the report states that 716 manufacturers, mechanical and mercantile establishments have been inspected during the last year, and that 3178 orders have been issued. The elevators inspected numbered 1490.

The number of children employed in the establishments named is 11,691; of young people between 14 and 16 there are 11,907; of children between 12 and 14 there are 87. There have been issued 2613 engineers' and 1059 firemen's licenses.

The total number of accidents reported during the year is 1051. Of this number, however, there were 417 cases in which the persons injured were not engaged at the time in operating any kind of machinery; but the larger portion of whom were employed in many cases, outside of the factory buildings; while the injuries received by many others were due to mishaps innumerable.

Twenty-five accidents were reported where the persons were handling tools at a bench or some like manner; 32 cases reported as persons injured by falls on stairways or by slipping or stumbling on floors; 17 more suffered from getting splinters in their feet; 26 persons were struck by falling weights; flying sparks, pieces of steel and missiles of some kind caused injuries to certain others; while 130 persons received their injuries while engaged in cleaning the machinery when the same was running, or while they were attempting to clean, or otherwise, oil cans, bobbins, or something else. This number is 25 per cent. of all the injuries sustained in operating machinery, and is about the same proportion as that of last year.

The list of persons meeting with accidents numbered 84 males and 207 females. With a few exceptions the female portion received their injuries from machinery, while the accidents occurring while engaged in general work outside of factory buildings, were confined to the male portion.

The number of accidents reported which resulted fatally is 29. Of this number four occurred outside of factory buildings.

The report closes with the usual report of crimes, the roster of police and a statement on the subject of forfeited licenses.

### CRISP GOSSIP.

It is said that fully one-quarter of the population of Newport is on the sick list. The public and parochial schools bear evidence of the large amount of sickness through the children are now passing through, and such weather has been a "feeder" for the sickness, especially for cases of the grip. The physicians are certainly having a slice of it, and they, too, are sleeping but short hours these times.

It looked like old times to see two yoke of oxen drawing a sled loaded with hay through Merrimack square yesterday noon.

The distance from Philadelphia to San Francisco is 3177 miles, from Honolulu, 2658 miles; from Honolulu to Hong Kong, 4561 miles; from Hong Kong to Manila, about 229 miles.

Many of the New Year's resolutions have already gone to smash.

Lake Superior is larger than Scotland.

The man who first made steel pens got \$1 apiece for them.

The number of victims of the grip is constantly increasing.

James Canavan, the polo player, well known in Lowell, will retire from the polo surface next Tuesday night at New Haven, and within a few days will leave for Arizona, where he will engage in copper mining with his uncle John H. Canavan, formerly with the Boston & Lowell Copper company. He will enter the employ of the Zonia mine, which is largely owned in New Bedford.

Old residents predict quite a run of cold weather yet, before the winter ends.

Lowell students of Phillips Exeter Academy returned today, after a three weeks vacation.

Park in 1837 was visited by 500,000 persons, Berlin by 1,700,000, and Vienna by 3,000,000. In thirteen years Paris has been entertained 8,500,000 guests, London 1,500,000, and those of Vienna 3,000,000.

Under an Iowa law convicts who become insane during their imprisonment are confined in prison indefinitely. Recently several of these prisoners, one of whom had been in prison fifteen years after the expiration of their sentences, were sent to a hospital for the insane.

Mayor Eaton, speaking to a friend recently said: "I can truthfully say that it has not cost the city one cent for faces, or a dinner or a postage stamp during my term of office." And it may be remarked that he has not yet drawn his salary from the city.

A philosopher remarks: "Never find fault with your wife's bonnet; she will immediately want a new one."

Lawyer Tom Riley of Boston, who is well known in Lowell, particularly to those who served on the jury at different times at East Cambridge, recently told this story to a group of friends: "It was about two years ago," he said, "he was an old practitioner and knew all the tricks of the trade."

He was retained by a man who had been caught violating the liquor law, and who had the reputation of having heaps of money. It was an open case for the prosecution and the prisoner had no hope.

"Here is \$2000; get me out of jail," said the accused to his attorney. The latter of course took the money on this condition.

A year later saw the case before the Supreme Court on questions of law. The defendant was disgusted with having to appear so frequently before the court.

"Now, see here!" said his attorney. "I promised to get you out of jail, did I not?"

"His client answered that it was the agreement."

"Well," drawled the attorney; "sure, you have not been sent to jail yet; and how the dickens am I to get you out of jail until you get in?"

One of the cleverest advertising men that has made things here for Lowell for several years is Mr. Fred W. Robinson, a traveling manager for the O. J. Tuck company of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Robinson is a most genial soul and one of the shrewdest kind of business men. His forte is advertising along railroad lines and conspicuous places in cities and towns. Possessed of a delightful personality and thoroughly familiar with the duties and necessities of all kinds of classes of people he has achieved marvelous results in the line of desirable locations for his advertising matter. Although he has been here but a few weeks, he appears to have received about all the desirable out-door advertising space in town.

### ELECTION STATISTICS.

The figures of the vote of 32 cities of Massachusetts at the December elections are especially interesting in their bearing upon the liquor licensing question. They show that the large number of the voters of the state took no interest in that issue.

The 32 cities have 311,178 voters. Of these 23,235 voted for mayor, and 218,114 on the license question. Of the latter 116,831 voted yes and 101,483 voted no. There were 17,193 who voted for mayor but not on the license question and 35,281 who did not go to the polls at all. Broken down the smaller per cent. of the stay-at-homes of any city in the commonwealth is 8.5 per cent. Boston had 49 per cent., Taunton 29 per cent., New Bedford, 24 per cent., and Fall River 21 per cent.

### MR. GLIDDEN ENTERTAINED.

Mr. Charles J. Glidden following his annual custom, entertained the board of directors of the Traders' National Bank with a dinner at his residence in Adams street last night.

During the evening the party was entertained by experts with electrical demonstrations.

The Mason Safety read company is to equip eight cars of the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill street car railway with brass tread. Among other recent orders are one for full trend equipment for three large steamships, and one also for trends for the steamships Kearsarge and Kentucky, which are to be shipped to Newport News. The Indiana has recently been fitted out with trends.

Thomas H. Conwell, the contractor, is a patient at St. John's hospital, suffering from an ailment of the jaw.

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### BANK ELECTIONS

#### DIRECTORS CHOSEN BY LOCAL INSTITUTIONS.

Nearly all of the national banks of Lowell held their annual elections for the year 1899 yesterday. There were few changes of the boards of directors only those made necessary by death.

The First National Bank stockholders elected the following directors: J. C. Abbott, Ephraim Brown, Thomas Castello, Henry G. Cushing, Patrick Lemley, Arthur H. Heston, John Lennon, Frederick P. Marble, Walter L. Parker, Harry E. Shaw, Samuel N. Wood.

The directors elected Walter L. Parker president.

The stockholders of the Merchants National Bank re-elected the following board of directors: Arthur G. Pollard, William H. Anderson, Anna Pratt, William Shepard, Albert P. Nichols, Michael Collins, Henry Russell, Charles L. Litley, Joseph L. Chaffee, Charles M. Ayer.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors Arthur G. Pollard was re-elected president and Charles F. Ayer vice president.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Prescott National Bank the following board of directors was elected: J. Adams Bartlett, J. A. Cameron, Daniel Gage, Geo. F. Richardson, Chas. A. Stott, Wm. H. White, Frederick Blanchard.

The officers will probably be elected at the meeting of the directors on Thursday of this week.

At a meeting of the Railroad National Bank these directors were chosen: being re-elected, except Mr. Burke, Sewall G. Mack, George Ripley, Jacob Rogers, Alexander C. Cunnick, Wm. S. Southworth, Alvin S. Lyon, Edward T. Rowell, George S. Motley, Frank E. Dunbar, Helen C. Puriham, Frederick Lawton, Edward N. Burke.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Mr. Edward T. Rowell was unanimously re-elected president for the ensuing year.

### NEW CREED

#### ADOPTED BY THE CHELMSFORD CENTRE CHURCH.

The new church creed adopted by the Central Congregational church of Chelmsford is a more condensed statement of belief than is generally held by the other churches. It is as follows:

We believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord, who suffered, died and buried; who rose from the dead and now sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; thence, we judge the quick and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Church of Jesus Christ, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins and the life everlasting. Amen.

### BILLY HAD A CINCIN.

It will be interesting to many Lowell owners of whips that Paula's Billy and Cascading's Uncle Sam, whips, ran 260 yards on Riverside Park Fall River, recently, in the presence of 200 people. The stakes were \$100 a side and there was little betting on the outside as many feared to bet, thinking that the contest would be too close and they couldn't pick a favorite. Nevertheless, their predictions failed to come true, as Billy had a cinch. By the aid of good slipping, Billy secured 1-2 yards start and increased to 1-2 yards across the wire a winner by five yards. John Leather was starter, E. Barlow referee and Denny Shay stakeholder, all well known in Lowell.

The big woolen factory at Blackstone known as No. 1 mill is resuming operations after a shut down of five years, and will soon be in full operation. The mill is one of the largest and most important in the Blackstone valley and given employment to 500 hands. The stock of the mill has already arrived, and some of the employees are at work. The property was bought last March by Charles Fletcher of Providence, R. I., and has since been thoroughly repaired. The plant has also been equipped with new machinery and a new weave shop built. An electric lighting plant has also been installed.

### O'NEIL'S HANDS FROZEN.

A man giving the name of Michael O'Neil was found on the South coast last evening in an intoxicated condition. He was taken to the police station and it was found that his hands were slightly frozen. He was attended to by the keeper and placed in a cell.

### THE NEW BRIDGE.

The new bridge which was constructed in the extension of Allen street is a most valuable acquisition to Little Canada, the most prominent residents of that place say. More than 1000 people pass over the bridge daily and it is a great improvement both in construction and situation, a business man of that section has said.

### WANTED.

WANTED - A first-class mechanic. No car repairs. Just have first-class ability and address. Salary. Apply at 4 West Court avenue, between 8 and 9 a.m. or 3 and 4 p.m.

WANTED - A first-class American Naval Engineer. The most popular and descriptive book of the day. 2001 for term and circular. Brown & Co., Pub., 679 Boylston street, Boston.

WANTED - To do plain sewing at home, \$1.50 per day, four months' work guaranteed. Send for circular. Apply to J. F. Libby, 60 Robinson street.

WANTED - A first-class waiter at Central Hotel, 221 Central street, opposite Union Square. Men at all hours.

WANTED - A first-class waiter for our company. Permanent position. Liberal terms. Jewell Hotel, 100, Broadway, N. Y.

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# WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.

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England is ever mindful of the valor of her men in the field. Those who serve with distinction are always rewarded. While some of the Sudan heroes have received the Victoria cross others have been awarded the distinguished service order, and several of the officers, including Lord Kitchener, have been promoted to higher rank and have had several orders bestowed upon them. Among the officers and men of the Twenty-first lancers who have received at the queen's hands the Victoria cross are Captain Kenna, Lieutenant de Montmorency and Private Thomas Byrne.

The rewards offered by the English government to the men in the army and navy for heroic services are not merely in the shape of the decorations of the different orders. Each carries with it special privileges and a money con-

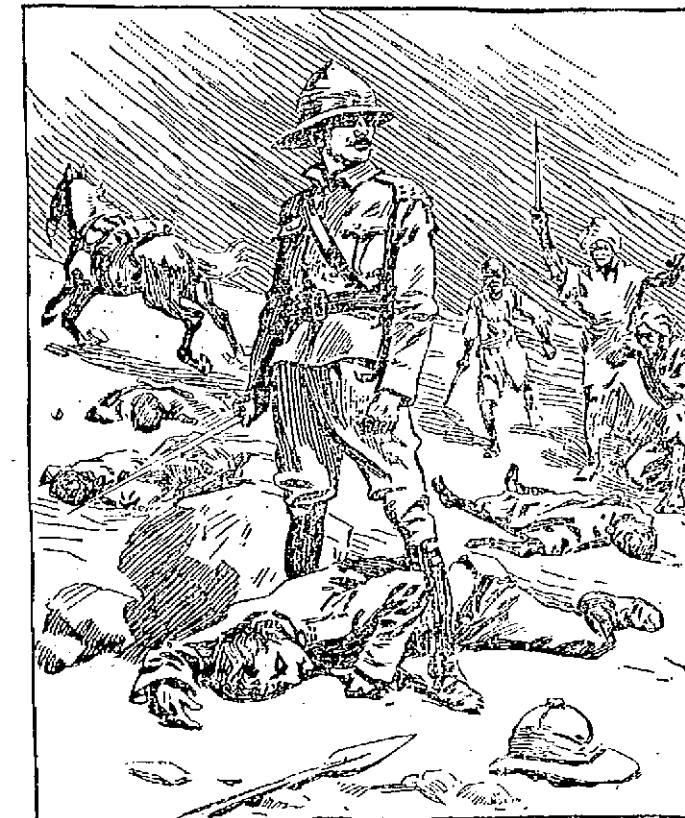


CAPTAIN KENNA WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.

consideration. Captain P. A. Kenna, Twenty-first lancers, was awarded the Victoria cross for extreme heroism displayed at the battle of Khartum on Sept. 2, 1898. He went to the assistance of Major Grole Wyndham of the same regiment when Wyndham was in danger of losing his life. The major had been unhorsed and was surrounded by a number of dervishes. Captain Kenna at great personal risk took him on his horse behind the saddle, thus enabling him to reach a place of safety. After the charge of the lancers Captain Kenna returned to assist Lieutenant de Montmorency in recovering the body of Lieutenant R. G. Grenfell, who had fallen during the charge. Captain Kenna had snatched Grenfell's body from the hands of the dervishes and had been mentioned in special orders on several occasions. He joined the Twenty-first lancers in 1885 and became a captain in 1895.

The deed which won for Lieutenant de Montmorency the Victoria cross occurred right after the charge which has made the Twenty-first lancers famous among the cavalry regiments of England and put them on an equal footing with those which took part in the charges at Waterloo, Balaclava and Khasassin. Lieutenant Grenfell was lying surrounded by a large body of dervishes. Lieutenant de Montmorency drove them off, and, finding Grenfell dead, placed the body on his horse, which then broke away, leaving Lieutenant de Montmorency to face the enemy. Captain Kenna and Corporal Swarbrick came to his assistance and enabled him to join his regiment, which had begun to open a destructive fire on the dervishes.

Private Thomas Byrne is the only enlisted man in the lancers who won the Victoria cross. At the battle of Khartum he turned back in the middle of the charge of his regiment and went to the assistance of Lieutenant R. F. Moly-



HOW LIEUTENANT MONTMORENCY WON THE VICTORIA CROSS.

neux, Royal Horse guards, who, wounded, dismounted and unarmed, was being attacked by a number of dervishes. Although seriously wounded, Byrne attacked the enemy, driving them away. He received a second wound while helping Lieutenant Molyneux reach a place of safety.

Captain Nevill M. Smyth of the Second Dragoon guards received the Victoria cross for distinguished services at the battle of Khartum. An Arab had run amuck among a number of the camp followers and had killed or wounded several of them. Captain Smyth rode forward and slung the fellow, finally killing him, after he had received a dangerous wound in the arm from the spear carried by the Arab. By his brave act he saved the lives of several of the men. Captain Smyth acted as orderly officer to General Hunt during the battle of Khartum, and his horse was killed under him during the hard fighting.

Colonel F. R. Wingate and his colleague, Slatin Pasha, have received well deserved honors for the part they took in the Sudan campaign. Both have become knight commanders of the most distinguished order of St. Michael and St. George. Colonel Wingate was for years at the head of the intelligence department at Cairo, and there is no man in either the English or Egyptian army who knows more about Mahdism than he does. While Slatin Pasha was a captive at Omdurman Colonel Wingate was working for his escape. Colonel Wingate was several times mentioned in special reports of Lord Wolseley for the services he rendered him. Wingate and Slatin Pasha were, so to speak, under the skin, the brains of the advancing army. There was nothing about Mahdism or the dervishes worth knowing that these two men did not know. What Slatin Pasha suffered during his imprisonment by the Mahdists is only known to himself. He was the last white man who saw the dead face of the murdered hero, General Gordon. He was at that time a prisoner in chains, but he lived through those years of untold suffering to accompany the advancing army to wipe out the dervishes.

JOHN R. DOLLY.

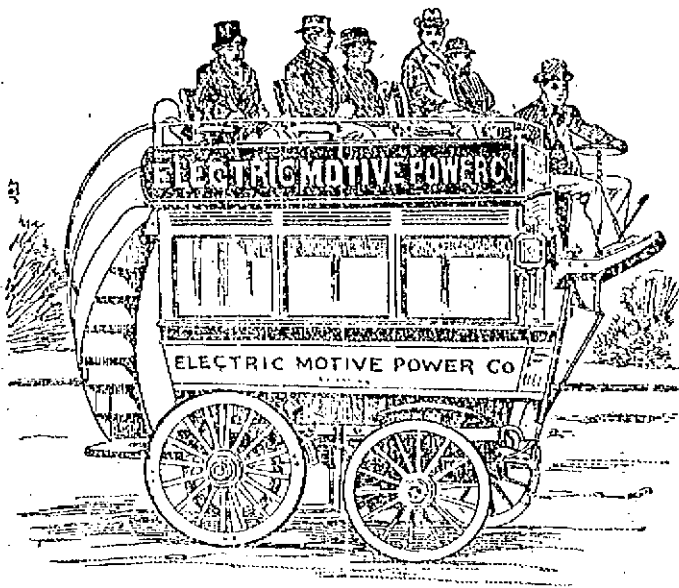
## NOTES FOR THE CURIOUS.

Prairie dogs are increasing so rapidly in west Texas that the people are holding public meetings to formulate some mode of protection.

Samory, the fallen west African po-

tentate, captured by the French, had a most picturesque career. He began life as a slave and rose to the dignity of hunking auts. His real chance came when he was captured in a raid-

## NEW YORK TO HAVE AUTOMOBILE STAGES.



New Yorkers and visitors to New York have long made merry over the Fifth avenue stages and their "crowd" horses, but the merry-making is to end. The stages will be long be kindling wood and the horses glue, and automobile stages or omnibuses similar to those used in London and Paris will be running up and down the avenue of the opulent.

According to the plans now being considered by the company which will operate the electric vehicle, the route will be through the streets and used by either the electric or cable lines. The main route will be through Fifth avenue, and transfers will be given to the lines operated on the side streets. Most of the streets through which they will pass have been paved with asphalt. This will give them a smooth road to travel over. The laying of tracks will not be necessary, and consequently the thoroughfares will not have to be torn up or disturbed in any way. The automobile conveyances used both in London and Paris are well patronized, and it is believed by those interested in the venture that New York will take kindly to them, especially the people who do not care to ride in the overcrowded cars.

## The Hero of Crete.

Since the Sudan campaign and the Crete matters have been adjusted many of the officers and men who took part in them have been rewarded by the English government for their bravery or distinguished services. Most of the decorations awarded have gone to the land forces.

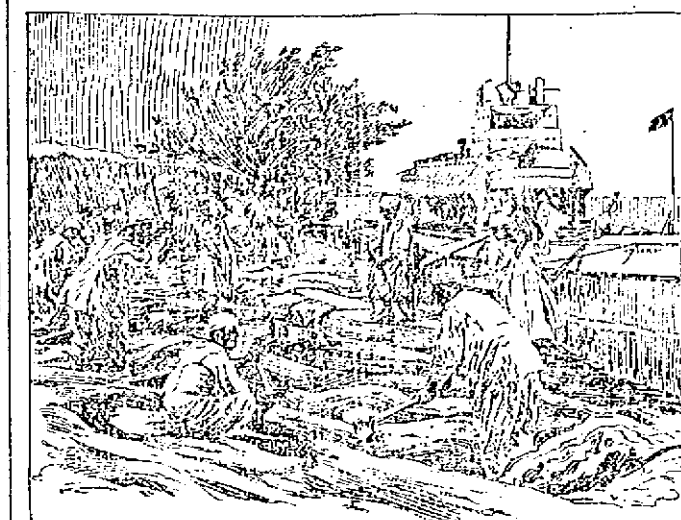
So far as is known the only award to the naval branch of the fighting arm was that given to Rear Admiral Gerard Noel, who was recently created knight commander of the order of St. Michael and St. George in recognition of his valuable services during the recent critical period in Crete in enforcing the ultimatum.



turn of the powers that Turkish troops should withdraw. He said, "GHI!" and they "got."

Rear Admiral Noel was born in 1815 and entered the navy as a cadet in 1835. He reached the rear admiral's grade in 1896. He commanded the naval guard at Cape Coast Castle in 1874 and was awarded the Ashanti medal and the Komandier's cross. For a short time he was director of naval intelligence and, until January last a naval lord in the admiralty. He is one of England's foremost naval experts.

## Dervish Prisoners at Work.

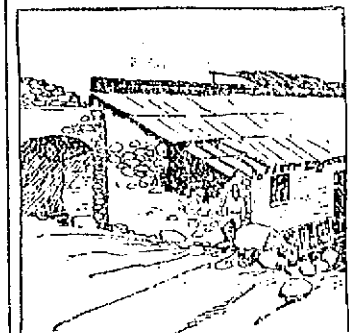


A new occupation has been found for some of the sons of the desert who were made prisoners when the khedive was defeated and his stronghold, Omdurman and Khartum, laid in ashes. As is well known, most of the dervishes were killed during the battles which led up to Lord Kitchener's great victory. Some of the dervish prisoners were placed on board the little gunboats which did such effective service along the river Nile. They were instructed in the ways of the firework, and, it is said, made good shot. When fuel ran low, they were sent on shore (with the guns of the vessel trained on them), supplied with axes and put to work, chopping such wood as could be found along the banks of the river. All the fighting qualities seemed to be taken out of them when their chief fled and their cities were in ruins. They worked at their new occupation with wonderful skill and handled the axes as well as they did their spears and long curved swords. When they had completed their work on shore, they carried the fuel to the banks of the vessel, where it was carefully stowed away. It was a novel sight to see these black men in their long and spindly thin apparel handling the axes with the swing of a backwoodsman.

without hindrance until he began to knock his head against the French sharpshooters. Experiments made in Paris show that an electric wagon costs 47 per cent less to run than a horse wagon and 32 per cent less than a petroleum motor. More than 40 per cent of the British

## Effect of a Shell In Manila.

There are many buildings in Manila and along the coast line of the bay that show the effects of the projectiles fired from the ships which made Admiral Dewey famous throughout the world. They also show that the guns were handled by well trained men. Some of the houses were completely demolished, while others were badly battered. Where the shots landed they did ef-



fective work. The little house shown in the picture is one which was struck by a small shell fired from one of the ships at the time the city was captured. As will be seen, it took away a great portion of the side wall and left an opening through which a man could easily crawl. The impact of the shell ground the adobe bricks into powder and sent the debris flying in all directions. The little building is situated just outside of the great wall that surrounds the city and was a good target for the men on board the vessels. It was one of the houses used by the guerillas. It was thought during the battle to be one of the sentry stations. There are many buildings in the city proper which received scars from the shots that went over the wall, and these buildings are mute tributes to the superior marksmanship of the men behind the American guns.

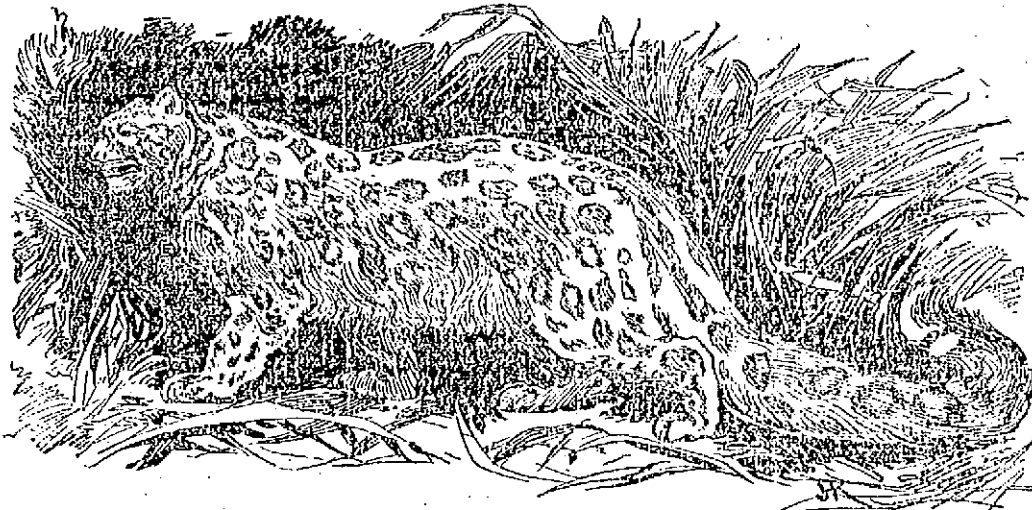
## PRINCE GEORGE IS CRETE'S NEW RULER.



Prince George of Greece is before the public eye again. He has been nominated by the four powers to act as high commissioner of Crete, and it is hoped that in this way the trouble which has been caused by the Turkish troops on that island will be obliterated. Since the Turkish-Greek war many pictures have been published of Prince George. None, however, has shown him since he developed into manhood. Most of the pictures were taken when he was yet a very young man. He is now but 20 years of age. The picture given here is from one of the latest photographs taken of the prince.

Prince George will act as high commissioner, which is the same as governor, for a period of two or three years. He promises to endeavor to give equal justice to the two elements which largely to make up the population of the island. Turkey has protested against the nomination of Prince George, and it is not believed that the powers have formally notified the ports of the nomination of the prince as commissioner. The last of the Turkish troops have evacuated Crete, and it is believed that order and peace will easily be restored. Prince George is the second son of the king and queen of Greece. He was born at Corfu in 1878.

## The Rare White Leopard of the Paris Zoo.



The Jardin des Plantes in Paris is in possession of a rare and beautiful animal. In fact it is believed to be the only one of its kind in captivity and is now the center of attraction. The animal in question is a white leopard and was captured in Turkestan. The fur of the ordinary leopard is a yellowish brown, over which are distributed spots of a darker hue. The one now in captivity in Paris is a bluish white, with black spots. Its tail is of immense length and is the same color as the body.

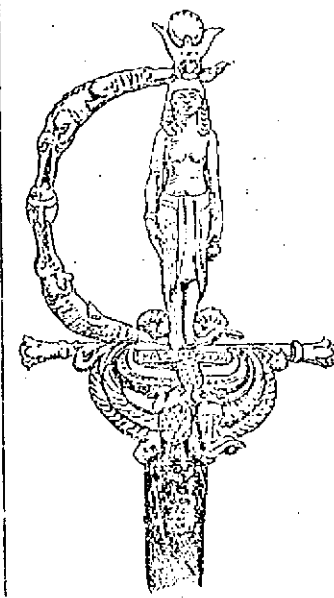
The beast was captured by Prince Gargarie, after much trouble. During the struggle which led up to its capture it received a gunshot wound. As soon as this had healed the leopard was sent to Paris. In its home in Turkestan it was known for its savagery, and for a long time it was impossible to capture it. The leopard was enticed into a trap by the prince. It stood the transportation to Paris without difficulty and seems to be fully contented in its new quarters.

### Gaudy Statistics.

Nearly 1,000,000,000 yards of ribbon of all shades and colors are consumed by the fair sex in general of the continent of Europe every year. Of this huge amount, France alone takes one-third, it being a well established fact that Frenchwomen are particularly prone to anything of a showy color. Britain comes next, but a very long way behind, with 30,000,000 yards, and the rest is divided principally between Spain, Italy, Germany and Belgium. Blue and the higher pinks and scarlet are the favorite shades.

## Marchand's Sword.

When an officer of the army or navy of any country specially distinguishes himself by gallant or meritorious deed of gallantry or in some other way proves



worthy of reward, it is a very general custom to present him with a sword of honor, as was recently done in the cases of Admirals Dewey and Schley in this country.

The French people have just taken this means of showing their appreciation of the services rendered to France by Major Marchand, whose expedition to Fashoda so recently resulted in a war with England. The sword, however, will be given him partly because of the discoveries which the intrepid explorer made in that hitherto almost unknown region of Africa.

A partly nude figure representing ancient Egypt forms the hilt. The two emeralds, each holding fast to a beetle, represent England and France disputing over the Fashoda territory. A suitable inscription is engraved on the weapon. Major Marchand will be presented with the sword on his return from Africa.

people could not write their names when Queen Victoria ascended the throne. The proportion in that condition has now been reduced to 7 per cent.

An insurance company of Warsaw, Russian Poland, has discharged all the male agents and solicitors, appointing

### Parade Punishment.

In the code and sacred books of the Parsees no provision is made for capital punishment, but a culprit is to be beaten with a number of blows, proportioned to his offense, and if he succumbs no one is to blame.

## Passing of the Jinrikisha.

Americans traveling in Japan take much delight in going over the country in the picturesque jinrikishas. They



were until recently the only means of transportation. Modern civilization has done much to improve Japan. Steam railroads have taken the place of the jinrikishas in long distance travels. They are now to be found only in the cities and towns. They are built after the fashion of a two-

wheeled phaeton, with the exception that they are not fitted with dashboards and no horses are used to draw them. Strong limbed, deep chested natives draw them about from place to place. The power of endurance of these men is wonderful, and the rate of speed at which they cover the ground is almost beyond comprehension. The body of the carriage is set on well balanced

spings, which keep it from jolting. It is claimed that the jinrikisha is the invention of an American missionary.

his estate at Abbotshurst, a charming little village a few miles from Weymouth, England. The cost of caring for the swans averages over \$12,000 a year.

Before the war Cuba contributed about one-twelfth of all the tobacco used in the world.

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By Associated Press to The Sun.  
EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 11.—An Aztec temple long buried beneath the surface of the earth has been uncovered within the limits of this city, according to Dr. Leo Berson, a graduate of Oxford university and archeologist of note who is connected with the Frezatiario university at the city of Mexico.

At his own solicitation, he was sent by the Mexican government to search for the remains of an Aztec temple and village which he learned from ancient records in the archives of Mexico were situated somewhere near here on the left bank of the Rio Grande.

Recently the scientist unearthed several stones covered with hieroglyphics within the corporate limits of the town and at a depth of ten feet a wall of solid masonry was uncovered. Dr. Berson is confident that he has discovered the Aztec temple and expects to unearth many relics of great value. He has discovered many valuable Aztec relics in Mexico, among them the famous God Paza, now in the city of Mexico and a number of tablets of stone covered with hieroglyphics which when deciphered, proved to be of great benefit historically.

**DEATHS.**

**HUNT**—Frank Hunt, a former well known and highly respected young resident of this city, died yesterday at Lawrence whither he removed some time ago and after a short stay made it his place of residence. The remains have been removed to Lowell and the funeral will be held at 10 a. m., tomorrow from Undertaker O'Donnell's warerooms. Deceased is survived by a mother, one brother, John, assistant superintendent of penmanship in the public schools, and one sister, Miss Sarah Hunt, all of this city.

**SAVAGE**—Mary A. Savage, aged 14 years, daughter of Edward and Mary Savage, died this morning at 22 Smith avenue.

**LEMIEUX**—Clara, infant daughter of Narcisse and Artemise Lemieux, died yesterday at her parents' home, 129 Hall street.

**PRESCOTT**—Henry Adams Prescott died at his home, 189 High street, Lawrence, Saturday. He was born in Westford, Jan. 13, 1811, and was therefore within a few days of 88 years of age. In early life he was prominent in the affairs of his native town, and at the age of 24 had held all the town offices. In the early forties he removed to Lowell where he was in business for several years. Later he removed to Ogdensburg, N. Y. For more than forty years he has resided in Lawrence. He maintained his youthful interest in public affairs in an unusual degree for one of his years and was a useful and public spirited citizen. His health had not been as good as usual this winter and he quickly succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. He was twice married. He leaves a son and daughter, George H. of Forge Village and Clara F. of Lawrence. He is survived also by a brother Edward Prescott and a sister Mrs. Sarah Lawrence, both of Westford. The funeral was from his late residence this afternoon and interment was in the Bellevue cemetery in Lawrence.

**HIGGINS**—Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins died Tuesday morning at her residence on the Lowell road in Hudson. She was formerly a resident of Lowell. She leaves a son, Henry, a veteran of the civil war in the Sixth Massachusetts, and a grandson, William.

**RILEY**—Hugh Riley, aged five years died at his parents' home, 5 Hudson street yesterday. He was the son of Hugh and Mary Riley.

**FLETCHER**—Ellen Fletcher, aged 4 years, died yesterday at the city hospital.

**CROSS**—Mrs. John Cross, one of the oldest and most well known residents of Nashua is dead at her home on Franklin street in that city. About three weeks ago she fell and broke her shoulder and she never recovered from the shock the fall entailed. She was a noble woman, devoted to her family and her home and hundreds of friends will mourn her death.

Mrs. Cross was born in the adjoining town of Hudson, the daughter of Reuben and Eunice Sargent, and was aged 82 years, 8 months. For 37 years past she has resided in Nashua. She was a member of the First Congregational church and took a deep interest in the welfare of that society.

She is survived by a husband, a daughter, Mrs. James H. Tolles, and a son, Mr. John Allen Cross, all of whom reside in Nashua; a sister, Mrs. Esther N. Dodge of Revere, Mass., and a brother, Benjamin Sarg of Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Cross have been married about 55 years, and she had always enjoyed good health until a few weeks previous to her death.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH

Unknown Man Found Dying  
on Aiken Street.

Was Run Into by a Runaway  
Which Who Mysteriously Disappeared Early This Morning—  
Body is at St. John's Hospital.

The ghastly find of a dying man lying at the northern approach to the Aiken street bridge at 6:15 this morning is the subject of a mystery for the local police to unravel and the identity of the unknown dead man at St. John's hospital will be the first step in the unravelling of the mystery.

At 6:15 this morning, two men called at the little shoe shop of P. Morneau at 755 Aiken street, near Lakeview avenue, carrying between them a dying man. They stated that the man was hurt in a runaway and asked permission to lay him there while they called the ambulance.

The man was unconscious and moaned slightly while lying in the cobbler's shop. The two men were strangers and they informed Mr. Morneau that they had found the unfortunate man between a horse's legs at the entrance of the bridge.

When the ambulance arrived the dying man was taken post haste to St. John's hospital, the driver not stopping to ascertain the particulars. When the ambulance went, the two men went away in the dark and that is all any one knows of the mystery. No one knew the two men, nor could any one tell whether or not there was a horse at the bridge at that time. The two men gave the impression that the unfortunate had been the victim of a runaway and the unsuspecting people who were about took their word for it and made no further inquiries.

The unknown man died at St. John's hospital shortly after the arrival of the ambulance not having regained consciousness.

The body is that of a man about 50 years, heavily built, 5 feet 8 inches in height, with very light hair, slightly tinged with gray and a blonde mustache. The appearance of his hair and mustache would indicate that he might be a German. His hands were soft and scrupulously clean and he evidently did no laborious or dirty work. The third finger of the left hand is bent peculiarly as if broken. The body was clothed in clean cotton underwear, dark brown overcoat, dark trousers, and overshoes. The body is perfectly clean and would indicate that deceased had recently come from the bath.

In the vest pocket was an American Walworth gold watch numbered 5535312 but nothing else that would lead to his identification.

His injuries consist of a fracture at the base of the skull and the left side of the body is bruised and cut indicating that the victim of the tragedy had been dragged some distance.

Several persons called at the hospital but could not identify the body.

A Sun reporter after much questioning among the French people of the vicinity of Aiken street learned that a dinner, part and contents were found scattered on the ground at the bridge showing that the man was on his way to work in one of the mills. The fact that no horse was found, and that the horse which must have caused his injuries is completely swallowed up in mystery, indicates quite conclusively that the unfortunate man was not driving, but was walking over the bridge to work and was run down by the unknown, fearful of the consequences, driving away in the dark to escape detection and undoubtedly arrest. Some of the people in the vicinity believe that the unknown man was caught between two teams on the bridge and dragged by one of the horses, probably drawing the inference from the fact that two men carried him to the cobbler's shop.

A woman who was in the little gathering that watched the body being placed in the ambulance suddenly cried out: "Why, it's Mr. Hurst of Dracut."

The "Mr. Hurst" in question is Benjamin Hurst of Pleasant street, Dracut. A Sun reporter called at Mr. Hurst's house and later at the Massachusetts mills where he is employed, and found him safe and sound. The facial resemblance between Mr. Hurst and the dead man, however, is striking.

It is thought that the dead man belongs in Dracut but whoever he may be, as he carried his dinner, he will not be missed at home until night.

BIG EXPLOSION

WHICH FORTUNATELY CAUSED NO FATALITIES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
EVERETT, Mass., Jan. 11.—An oil tank owned by the New England Construction company at East Boston exploded at 7:30 this morning. The blazing oil spilled into the water, but caused nothing but the tank was damaged. It is not believed the loss will exceed \$2,000.

FOUR KILLED

BY AN EXPRESS TRAIN NEAR PITTSBURG.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
PITTSBURG, Jan. 11.—Four persons were run down and instantly killed by an express train near Larimer station on the Pennsylvania railroad, 25 miles east of Pittsburgh. The list of dead is as follows:

Mary Miller,  
Thomas Miller,  
Albert Wilson,  
Walter Brown.

The train was running at full speed and the bodies were terribly mangled. On account of a freight wreck near Larimer it was necessary to switch the west bound passenger train to the east bound track. The engineer blew the whistle, but the alarm was unheeded, as the victims evidently thought that the train would run on the west bound track as usual. They were all residents of Larimer.

BILL OF COMPLAINT

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 10.—The Mercantile Trust Co. of New York filed a bill of complaint in the United States Court here yesterday asking for the foreclosure of the Consolidated Mortgage in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad property. The amount of bonds secured in the mortgage is \$18,000,000 and the interest thereon is \$45,000. The mortgages cover all the lines of the Baltimore & Ohio.

BODY IDENTIFIED.

This afternoon a man named William Robinson identified the body as being that of Frank Ingalls, second hand of the Tremont & Suffolk paint shop. The unfortunate man lived on Riverside street and leaves a wife and three children.



Sketch of the Dead Body of Frank Ingalls Found on Aiken Street This Morning.

POISONED MEAT

Causes the Death of Two Persons

AND MAKES SEVEN MORE ILL

The Animal Slaughtered Was Diseased.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
FAIRBURY, Neb., Jan. 11.—As a result of eating pork from a hog afflicted with trichina, like, daughter of August Kellerman, a farmer near here is dead. Her mother can live but a few hours and the father and five children are ill. Two boys named "rooster" neighbors, who partook of the food, are very low with slight chances of recovery. The hog when butchered had the appearance of being in an unhealthy condition.

VESSELS ICED UP

Gale Carried the Horatio Hall off Shore.

AT FIRST THOUGHT SHE WAS DISABLED.

But She Was Adjusting the Compass.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
CHATAM, Mass., Jan. 11.—The life savers along the Cape shore experienced a trying time last night and early this morning as the weather was very severe and it was necessary to keep a sharp lookout for disabled vessels. A stiff northeasterly gale prevailed and the thermometer went as low as seven at Nauset, with temperatures ranging from 10 to 14 at other stations. The harbors and small streams were frozen over and this forenoon Chatham bay was a mass of ice.

The Maine steamship company's steamer Horatio Hall, Captain Bragg from New York to Portland, was sighted drifting broadside to the gale one mile off Orleans early this forenoon. The Hall passed Chatham at 6:10 o'clock and when off Orleans the vessel seemed to lose headway and she made no progress for over an hour. High seas were dashing against her and she was pretty well leeward. The gale carried the boat off shore, and it was at first thought the machinery was disabled. The Orleans life saving station signaled the boat, asking if any assistance was needed, but Captain Bragg made no reply. Not long after this the steamer proceeded. It has since been learned that the Hall was probably adjusting her compass, as a man boarded the steamer when she left New York for that purpose. It is thought that the first favorable opportunity for adjusting the compass was presented when the steamer arrived off Orleans.

INJURED PERSONS RECOVERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—At the Mulholland hospital in Plainfield, today, it was stated that all the persons injured in the Toluca valley collision now in that hospital, were going well with the exception of Engineer Rick and Henry John Porreca, the four months old baby from Shamokin. Both are in a critical condition.

FUNERALS.

MARSHALL.—The funeral of the late Rufus W. Marshall will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mr. William A. Sherwell of 260 Pine street.

MONEY DEPOSITED

On or before Tuesday, Feb. 1, in the Savings Department of the TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK will draw interest from Feb. 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. Compounded semi-annually.

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\$7.98 EACH.

REV. JOSEPH HOBBS ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 11.—In the house of representatives this morning a concurrent resolution was adopted postponing the election of a public printer until after a joint committee has investigated the expense of doing the state printing and reported whether the present system shall be continued or a form of contract shall be instituted. Rev. Joseph C. Hobbs, president of the Dover Association of the Methodist church has been elected as chaplain of the legislature.

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166 Central Street.

# THE SUN LATEST!

## 5 O'CLOCK

### LOST SOLDIER HOME

#### Private Joseph Delorme Returned This Morning.

#### In His Light Summer Suit—A Comrade Offered His Overcoat at Merrimack Square—Sickness Detained Him in a Porto Rican Hospital.

After all trace of the whereabouts of Private Joseph Delorme of Co. C, Sixth regiment, had been lost, he arrived in Lowell this morning, unaccompanied by any one from the dead and figured as a principal in a very pathetic scene in the street railway waiting room, on Merrimack Square.

He had just entered the waiting-room direct from the Northern depot and was in conversation with a Sun reporter when he espied an old comrade Private Edward Sears passing, and waved a salute. Sears, almost dazed with astonishment to see Delorme again in the land of the living, ran into the waiting room and, both clasped hands in a manner that indicated only too well the affection of soldiers for each other.

Delorme was thinly clad in a khaki uniform and Sears quickly addressed him, saying: "Have you got any money? Where is your overcoat?"

Delorme responded that he was minus the latter.

Sears quickly pulled off his overcoat, saying: "Joe, take this, I won't need it; I have plenty of warm under clothing; you'll freeze, my boy."

Delorme shook his head and as he turned away a tear stole down his cheek, so touched was he by this evidence of affection.

Finally, accompanied by Sears, he started for his former boarding place, 28 Tremont Corporation, conducted by Joe Lussier.

Prior to his departure from the waiting room Delorme stated that during the middle of October he was stricken with typhoid fever, which prevented him from accompanying the boys of Company C to the States. After being confined for a period of three months in the hospital barracks at Laredo he was removed to the hospital at San Juan where he remained for three weeks awaiting a transport ship to take him to New York.

While at Laredo Delorme wrote a letter about October 25, to Capt. Greig, and he thinks it must have miscarried as he received no response to it.

Prior to his illness Delorme stated that he weighed 160 pounds and when he got up from his sick bed he weighed but 95 pounds. He now weighs 120 pounds. He arrived on the transport Mississippi with General Wood's men which reached New York yesterday. He did not make any delay in Gotham but came quickly on to Lowell.

Delorme will report to-day to Capt. Greig.

Prior to his departure with the Sixth to the scene of war Delorme was employed as box maker under Overseer Childs at the Lawrence hospital. The prospects after mustering out to go back to his old occupation. He looks well; his appetite has returned and he eats quite heartily.

All that he fears now is that he might catch cold and possibly a relapse, in not being provided with an overcoat as a covering to his light uniform on his journey home. Delorme's home is in Montreal but he has made Lowell his place of abode for over four years.

### SHE ACCEPTED HIM

#### Then Learned He Was Her Brother.

#### REMARKABLE STORY OF YOUNG PEOPLE

#### Who Were About to be Married.

NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 10.—Within a few days there was a family reunion in this city such as is seldom heard of outside the pages of a novel or on the stage. The people interested are Mrs. William E. Davis of 100 Ash st., Stephen A. White of Boston and this city and Belle Laverio, a reader of some note.

In October, 1871, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. White of Weymouth, Mass., after struggling hard to keep the wolf from the door, decided that they must part with two of their three children. After consultation it was decided to place the two daughters, one aged 3 and the other 5, in a home from which children were adopted. The boy, who bore his father's name, was to remain at home.

The father took the two daughters to an institution in Boston. The younger one, Rose, was adopted, but there was no call for the elder one, who was later turned over to the care of an uncle, and in the course of time she married William E. Davis of this city.

The boy, Stephen A. White Jr., started out at a tender age to make his own way in the world. He prospered fairly well, and in 1896 was working in Boston.

One evening in the fall of that year he attended an entertainment, and there was introduced to the star of the evening, Miss Belle Laverio, a reader. With him it was a case of love at first sight.

Fate threw them in each other's paths and an acquaintance soon ripened into mutual love. The young man, however, fearing that his suit would not meet with favor, kept his love a secret until just before Christmas Day, 1898. One evening he told Miss Laverio "the old story," and to his surprise and delight, found that his love was returned. He was accepted, subject to the consent of the girl's parents.

That night the girl told her father and mother of the proposal. Neither offered any objection, but the father told the girl for the first time that she was not his daughter; that she was adopted by him from an institution.

The next day the girl told her lover the story told her the night before by her father, and together they sought the institution from which she was taken—he with the determination to make her his wife, no matter what the records might reveal; she with a fear that it might be discovered that she was a poor nameless waif.

The superintendent of the institution



The Late EDWARD PAYSON WOODS, the Well Known Wire Works Manufacturer of Centralville Who Died Suddenly Last Night.

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#### HIS CAREER A VERY VARIED ONE.

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In 1846, for the benefit of his health, he made several voyages on one of which he acted as supercargo, and on the last voyage, which terminated in September, 1849, he was promoted to be ship's surgeon. In 1850 he came to Lowell and became a commercial traveler, afterwards entering the employ of the J. C. Ayer Company, and in 1858 was superintendent of manufacturing for that company.

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### A CHARITY PARTY

#### Held Last Night in Associate Hall.

#### AN ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE ENJOYED.

#### The Attendance Assured Its Success.

The Ladies of Charity of St. Patrick's parish held an entertainment and social under the title of "Charity Party," at Associate Hall last evening and despite the intensity of the cold there was an attendance that made the affair a gratifying success. Those who attended while they performed a charitable act in adding the poor, got the worth of their money in the entertainment offered.

A laughable comedy sketch entitled "Tilly's Party" opened the evening's pleasure.

During the performance there was singing by a quartette, composed of Messrs. William F. Thornton, Charles J. Mulholland, Peter A. Clune, and Miss Murray. Charles D. Slattery and Miss May Miller sang a duet and the remainder of the musical program consisted of solos by Master Martin Mulholland, Miss Lena Ewing and Miss May Miller. The following is the cast of characters in the performance: "Tilly's Party," D. S. O'Brien; "General Casey," Wm. Thornton; "Willard Chase," Charles J. Mulholland; "Harry on the Trunk," Charles D. Slattery; "Call Your Down," P. A. Clune; "Die of Izen Glass," J. J. Murray; "Stub Me," Martin Mulholland; "Miss Kate Riley," Miss Annie Tighe; "Miss Nellie Riley," Miss Lena Ewing; "Miss Flora May," Miss May Miller; "Guests of the Tillys," Miss Nellie A. Mulholland, Lucy A. Ducey, Sarah Murray, Harriet F. Gardner.

William McAloun was accompanist. Pretty tables greatly assisted in the general decoration of the hall. The tables' attendants were kept busy by steady patronage. The tables and the young ladies in charge were:

Miss Mary F. Brown as matron and the following assistants: Misses Helen Mulholland, Margaret Rogers, Lizzy Farrell, May Quinn and many others.

Candy table: Matron, Mrs. J. Lang; assistants, Misses Katharine McDonald, Mary Collins, Margaret McDonald, Rita Burris, Mabel Norton, Grace Dempsey, Mollie Condon, Sadie McConroe, Annie Mulholland, Katharine Mulholland, Courtney, Dorothy Raymond, Annie Donovan, Nora Lynch, Esther Downing, Alice Mahoney, Annie Coughlin, May Lang, Nellie Sullivan, and Annie Tighe.

The following committee had charge of the dancing: General manager, John J. Loneragan; assistant general manager, James A. Brown; floor marshal, H. Francis Doran; assistant floor marshal, J. Joseph Plindar.

### EXECUTIVE SESSION

#### CONSIDERING THE NEW BILL.

#### By Associated Press to The Sun.

#### WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The River and Harbor Committee has begun work in executive session on the forthcoming river and harbor bill. Good progress was made but the tentative decisions from day to day on various items will not be announced until the bill is completed. The first definite provision for more promptness in relieving harbors of wrecks and derelicts. Under the present law the Secretary of War must notify the owners of a wreck by advertisement for thirty days before any action to sell or remove is possible. In the meantime the wreck may cause much damage and bring the traffic of a harbor to a halt. The Marine Exchanges of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore called attention to the need of relief from the law, and as a result the coming bill will give the Secretary of War ample power to act promptly as to wrecks and derelicts when an emergency is presented.

### ICE MEN HAPPY

#### THE COLD SNAP IS GOOD FOR THE ICE CHOP.

#### By Associated Press to The Sun.

#### GARDINER, Me., Jan. 11.—The present cold snap is what the Kennebec ice men have been waiting for and the ice is making rapidly. It is now their intention to start steam at all the ice houses on the western channel from Swan Island up and from South Gardiner to Augusta, next Monday, and 25 elevators will begin hoisting the crystal harvest. The ice on the lower Kennebec is now about 8 inches thick. Should a heavy rain or thaw set in before Monday it might defer the opening of the fields until another cold snap is to be taken. According to manufacturers they are in no mood to talk it over with the operatives just at present. They state that they have just emerged from the woods, that returns from the capital are prospective rather than actual, and that they must have time to straighten out their affairs before they are asked to increase the cost of production. Thus far the labor organizations have made no move of importance in the direction of faster action of the old schedule, and there is nothing to indicate that they are disposed to be aggressive.

### THE COLDEST YET.

#### By Associated Press to The Sun.

#### SARATOGA, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Last night was the coldest experienced in these parts for almost a generation. At Saratoga Lake the thermometer registered 40 below zero while at Whitehall, the temperature was only one degree warmer. At Saratoga Springs the thermometer registered 20 below.

### NEW CHOR LEADER.

#### Mr. Alphonse Racicot of Pawtucketville has succeeded Dr. Gagnon as leader of St. Joseph's church choir. It is stated that quite a change has taken place in the personnel of the choir during the past two weeks.

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### OFFICERS ELECTED

#### By The Democratic State Committee Yesterday.

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—The democratic state committee convened at the American House yesterday afternoon and organized for the current political year. The old officers were re-elected without opposition. They are: Chairman, Christopher T. Callahan of Holyoke; vice chairman, Robert T. Palma, Jr., of Boston; Daniel N. Crowley of Danvers; P. J. Daly of Boston; John H. Mack of North Adams; William A. Davenport of Greenfield; secretary, Wm. T. McNary of Boston; treasurer, Charles D. Lewis of Framingham; assistant secretary, James A. Watson of Boston. Mr. M. Conneliff was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of P. J. Doherty.

After the election of officers, Mr. Gifford of Somerville moved the adoption of the following resolution:

"The democratic state committee in its meetings assembled for the purpose of organization, reaffirm their allegiance to the great principles of democracy, as enunciated in the party's national platform adopted at Chicago in 1896 and the last state convention at Worcester; and take special pleasure in recording their appreciation and endorsement of the splendid campaign waged in behalf of the people's rights by their intrepid champion who ranks in merit and esteem with the historic leaders of the democracy, Col. William Jennings Bryan."

Timothy E. McCarthy moved that the resolution be referred to the executive committee. His amendment received some support, but after a brief discussion the resolution was adopted with but a single dissenting vote.

Tom H. Higginson, of Springfield moved the adoption of a resolution that the committee was opposed to a policy which would require the United States to acquire and govern conquered people unless by the consent of the people to be governed.

Mr. McLaughlin again spoke against the resolution.

D. N. Crowley of Danvers moved that it be laid on the table.

Mr. McNary said that unless the democratic party went on record in line with the constitution and declared itself opposed to the ruling of a conquered people, he would vote against the party.

Mr. Baker of Wellesley also favored the resolution.

Mr. Jaquith of Wellesley and Mr. Mearns of Chelsea favored the motion to lay the resolution on the table. Mr. Higginson spoke again in favor of the resolution and Mr. McLaughlin again against it. The latter said it was not a party question. The motion to lay on the table was then defeated and the resolution adopted by a viva voce vote.

### OFFICERS ELECTED

#### At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Traders' National Bank.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Traders' National Bank held yesterday afternoon, the following were chosen as directors: John C. Burke, Michael Corbett, Solomon K. Daxier, Charles J. Glidden, Othello O. Greenwood, William F. Hills, James H. Hills, Clarence H. Nelson, Asa C. Russell, Robert Simpson, Jesse N. Trull.

The directors organized with the choice of Charles J. Glidden, president; Asa C. Russell, vice president; William F. Hills, cashier; and clerk.

### TRADERS AND MECHANICS.

The annual meeting of the Traders and Mechanics Insurance Company was held Monday afternoon, Mr. Levi Sprague presiding. The following is a summary of the reports read: Total assets, \$720,634.60; liabilities, including re-insurances, \$34,087.28; net surplus, \$686,547.32. Paid out in losses for year, \$72,000. In dividends to policy holders, \$104,000.

The election of officers followed and the president and secretary, Levi Sprague and E. M. Tucker, were re-elected. The following board of directors for three years was chosen: Wm. B. Hutchinson, Charles H. Coburn, Edward M. Tucker, J. Tyler Stevens, Jacob Rogers, Levi Sprague, George F. Richardson and Frank P. Putnam. Walter H. Howe was elected for two years in place of his father deceased.

### MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

The annual meeting of the Lowell Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held yesterday afternoon. The annual report showed the company to be in a very prosperous condition. James C. Abbott was re-elected president and Joseph Peabody, secretary and treasurer. The board of directors is composed of the following men: James C. Abbott, William P. Brazier, F. A. Bunker, J. K. Fellows, P. C. Gates, Wm. B. Livingston, C. H. Nelson, A. C. Pollard, Emma Pratt, Charles A. Stott, Wm. H. Wiggin and C. W. Wilder.

In his call to the spinners, announcing the first general meeting of the union for the new year, Secretary G. Donnell of Fall River alludes only briefly to the wage question, saying that it will be discussed, but offering no recommendations as to the action to be taken. According to manufacturers they are in no mood to talk it over with the operatives just at present. They state that they have just emerged from the woods, that returns from the capital are prospective rather than actual, and that they must have time to straighten out their affairs before they are asked to increase the cost of production. Thus far the labor organizations have made no move of importance in the direction of faster action of the old schedule, and there is nothing to indicate that they are disposed to be aggressive.

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### HE DROPPED DEAD.

#### SUNCOOK, N. H., Jan. 11.—Word was received here this morning that Representative Thomas E. Holt of the state legislature dropped dead last night on his return from Concord. He was 71 years of age and was one of the leading farmers of his town. He has held many town offices. He leaves a widow and three children.

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### Nervous Dyspepsia

#### To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Mean.

#### MAKE A TEST OF STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think their nerves are to blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines. The real seat of the mischief is lost sight of. The stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspepsia often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, or perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach as much as in nearly every organ. In some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the bowels are constipated with headaches; still others

### STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS.

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing F. A. Stuart, Co., Marshall, Mich. All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents. Prof. Henry W. Becker, A. M., the well known religious worker and writer of St. Louis, secretary of the mission board of the German Methodist church, chief clerk and expert accountant for the Harbor and Wharf commission, public secretary for the St. Louis Exposition, and member of the District Conference of St. Louis, also takes an active part in the work of the Epworth League and to write on religious and educational topics on several magazines. How he found relief is best told in his own words:

"Some weeks ago my brother heard me say something about indigestion and taking a box from his pocket said 'Try Stuart's Tablets.' I did and was promptly relieved. Then I investigated the nature of the tablets and became convinced that they were made of just the right things and in just the right proportions to aid in the assimilation of food. I heartily endorse them in all respects and I keep them constantly on hand."

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## OF THE CAMPAIGN

Issues Ably Discussed by Ex-Gov. Altgeld.

## PARTY STANDS BY CHICAGO PLATFORM

And Will Add an Anti-Expansion Plank.

The great speech delivered by ex-Gov. Altgeld at Chicago on Monday night is well worth perusal and is printed here as it was printed in Monday's paper. It was substantially as follows:

"Since the first reading of the Declaration of Independence over 130 constitutions that were republican in form have been adopted. Each of them proclaimed that they will remain republican. Now the foundations are being pulled from under our own institutions. The very pillars of liberty are being betrayed by the men set to guard them.

Look about you. Nearly all of the wealth of this land is passing into a few hands and not one of these hands is favorable to the freedom of the citizen. Every great industrial, commercial, mining or transportation enterprise is passing into the hands of a few corporations and then by further consolidation into the hands of trusts which thus have an absolute monopoly, a monopoly which can arbitrarily fix prices, fix wages and regulate output—a monopoly which has no soul and whose chief purpose is to plunder the public. The monopolistic and speculative power but the masses wither. Men of moderate fortunes and of fair incomes who were the backbone of the republic are slowly but surely being wiped out. We are being reduced to two classes: in the first stage these will be known as the very rich and the moderately poor and in the second stage as the masters and the slaves. We have established a rotten aristocracy and are now fastening a yoke on posterity. A standing army is to be enthroned and bayonet argument is to govern.

Republican institutions cannot live amid these conditions. Wealth has never been the friend of liberty. Concurrently with the progress of these changes we hear the snarling voices of men who deride the doctrines of Jefferson and Lincoln that made our country great and mighty.

About two months ago the New York Chamber of Commerce gave a banquet and the president of that body asked the assembled guests to drink to the health of the British Queen before drinking the health of the president of the United States and it was done. He said the president would consent to this if he were there. To be sure this will not shake our republic; but it does show the tendency of thought among certain classes. It shows that the stock jobbers, the speculators and the financial wolves have no more love for our institutions today than they had in 1776, when they sided with England; or in 1861, when they sided with the confederacy.

From the same source comes the maudlin talk of an alliance with England. We are to repeat the experience of the lamb and lie down with the lion and we have leaders and flunkies in America who would consider it a privilege to lie inside the lion.

Other great questions vital to our existence have been evolved by the age and must be met. But the financial question is basic and central. It is the mother of a whole brood of evils.

What about 16 to 12? Well, my friends, it is not in our power to change this. It is impossible to get anything along any other line. Change the ratio and the whole case dissolves. To drop the ratio is to betray the cause.

This is an age of concentration in all things and the formation of private monopolies is particular. In history money with the low as it has stood for centuries we have denounced this but to no purpose. We have legislated against it but in vain. When they could not defeat legislation by bribery they went before some subservient federal judge and had it declared unconstitutional. Our remedy has failed. Private monopoly is as injurious and as much of a crime as ever and we cannot stop its birth; we must charge our tactics and convert private monopolies into public monopolies. Give the whole public the benefits of the monopoly instead of a few individuals. Let the government take them. This is not state socialism. It is simply protecting the people and therefore is democracy in its broadest sense. The European people fight socialism but get the greatest benefits from collective ownership.

There are hundreds of things that the public cannot do. But there are a great many that it can, should and must do. It has been demonstrated that municipalities can successfully and very profitably own and operate water, gas and electric light plants, street railway systems and a number of other things. The American people are prepared to move along this line and every such step by helping the people will help the democracy. The American people are also prepared to take

the telegraph and telephone monopoly and make them part of the post office and thus not only cheapen the service by one-half but make the telegraph neutral in politics. Ours is almost the only great government in the world that does not own the telegraph lines. I believe that our people are also prepared for postal savings banks and widening the functions of the postal department. It is safe and very cheap to the public. Ah, say you, this is a fight against money and we have none. This is true, but no great moral and political reform ever rested on money. If the sugar trust, or the Standard Oil trust would give us ten millions of dollars to make a campaign without cause would be lost. It would be Clevelandism over again. Even if we won the election our moral force would be gone and we would accomplish nothing. It is the order of devotes that shakes empires and we must win this fight by a self-sacrificing manhood. Men with flesh pots cannot help us. I hear the derisive laughter of Mark Hanna at the mention of manhood. But, my friend, American manhood will yet survive to throw the deplorable line of oblivion upon his polluted grave.

## DISGUSTING "HUGGER"

AN UNKNOWN MAN MAKES HIMSELF OBLIVIOUS TO LAW-RENCE FEMALES.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 10.—The local police are again after the Prospect hill hugger.

The other night he got in his fine work, and in a most bold manner, as if defying identification and detection. This is probably where he made one of his important mistakes of his life, for his good-one for the residents of the hill. The facts of the case are these: Miss Margaret Kirk is one of the most esteemed clerks at the great store of Field and Hughes, ladylike and refined in every way. She is small of stature. A few evenings ago, after her work was finished she was going home in company with her sister and a friend when near the corner of Pleasant street she was seized from behind about the waist, and a heavy coat, it appeared, but it was the rough jute of some acquaintance. The persistence and familiarity of the fellow, however, seriously frightened her and her two friends, and Miss Kirk's struggles and outcries at last compelled him to relinquish his grasp, when she and her friends saw the fellow distinctly. He was probably 35 years of age, very dark, needed shaving badly, wore his cap down low, as if for concealment, and wore a short heavy coat. He appeared to be a foreigner. As his victim broke away he ran a short distance down the street under the glare of the light and then made as if he intended to return, but Miss Kirk and her companions were now thoroughly frightened and lost no time in getting home, which luckily was near by.

The matter has been reported to the police and it is probable that Miss Kirk will shortly be called into court to identify the fellow. It is not thought to be the same man who was caught in this funny business some little time since near the poor farm. However, it is peculiar that all these assaults should be on Prospect Hill. As one gentleman put it, the fair residents of the hill will not dare to stir out evenings until this fellow is "jugged." There is not much doubt but what he soon will be.

## J. FRANK HADLEY

FORMER LOWELL MILL MAN DEAD AT FALL RIVER.

J. Frank Hadley died suddenly at his home on Linden street, Fall River, Monday, of heart disease. For six months he had been ill with the dropsy, and his suffering was so acute that he had to sleep in a chair. Ten minutes before he died he read the paper. He attempted to rise, but tumbled and fell dead. Deceased was 49 years of age, and for the greater part of his life had been connected with the carding department of the mills of Lowell, as overseer. He was very well known among the mill men of the city. He leaves a widow and seven children, the eldest being Charles M. Hadley, the timekeeper in the street department of Fall River. The remains were interred at Pittsfield.

## MANAGER SKIPPED.

H. D. Tucker, lessee and manager of the Pabst theatre on Purchase street, New Bedford, has left the city, and several creditors, including his landlady, the owner of the building, where he was conducted, actors, actresses and waitresses are mourning the fact. These people were under contract for the week at salaries ranging from \$15 to \$25 each, and were left practically stranded. The players consulted with the owner of the building and received permission to run the show and get what they could in a performance to get them to Boston, where they had friends.

The performances were given and the people connected with the place received at the \$25 each. Tucker is said to have either way with about \$300 and is alleged to be in Lowell where he is quite well known.

Philip J. Farley, Esq., has returned to town very much improved in health.

Miss Margaret Johnston has returned from a seven weeks' vacation spent at her old home in Chateaugay, N. Y. She reports a pleasant time and her smile is broader than ever.

## VESSEL ON FIRE

Blaze Was Discovered in the Bunkers.

## SAILORS OVERCOME BY POLICE HELD BACK THE CROWD.

And Were Burned to Death.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 10.—News by steamer from Japan says: The second Japanese cruiser Katsuragi Kan has reached Amoy, a partial wreck as the result of a fire that broke out during the storm at sea. Several of the crew of the cruiser were burned to death and many others badly injured. The Katsuragi Kan was a wooden vessel of the old style and had on board a number of soldiers beside her regular crew. When a few days out and in the midst of a gale a fire was discovered in one of the bunkers to the rear of the engines. The Japanese crew behaved with great bravery and streams of water were soon playing on the fire. At this juncture an accident to the machinery made it necessary for some one to go down the galley. It was a case of almost sure death. Two men volunteered to go down. Before they got to the machinery in need of repair, the smoke overcame them. No one would go in after them and the fire soon consumed their bodies. The vessel is repairing at Amoy.

## THE LOWELL MEN

Who Hold Important Committee Positions.

## SEN. PUTNAM CHAIRMAN OF MANUFACTURES.

Rep. Amos Chairman of Street Railway Committee.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The representatives to the senate and legislature from Lowell and vicinity have been assigned to the following legislative committees by President Smith and Speaker Bates: Senator Putnam—Chairman of manufactures and of public service, on rules and on printing committees. Representative Hayes—House chairman on cities, on rules; one of the members of second division. Representative Ames—House chairman of street railways. Representative Watson—On ways and means committee. Representative Mansfield—On committee on counties. Representative Farnsey—On committee on water supply. Representative Quigley, Chelmsford—On military affairs. Representative Sparks, of Dracut—Committee on prisons.

## STEVENS BROKE HIS ARM

McCLELLAND GETS DECISION Owing to His Opponent's Misfortune.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 10.—Jack McClelland of this city and Luke Stevens of Buffalo, featherweights, fought 13 hot rounds last night at Homestead. McClelland received the decision before the end of the 12th round, because Stevens broke his left arm and could not proceed. While neither man had any decided advantage in the fight, Stevens seemed to have the best of it.

## A NEW TRIAL

ORDERED BY COURT OF APPEALS IN RUSSELL SAGE'S CASE.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 10.—The court of appeals today reversed the judgment of \$33,000 secured by William H. Laidlaw, Jr., against Russell Sage and ordered a new trial. Laidlaw was in Sage's office at the time of November's attempt on Mr. Sage's life and he secured the judgment on the ground that Sage had used him as a shield against the effects of an explosion.

## THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Wednesday morning, followed by cloudiness and probable snow; colder tonight, followed by warmer during Wednesday; north to northeast winds.

## SCHOONER POSTINA BURNED.

SOUTH NORFOLK, Conn., Jan. 10.—The three masted schooner, Postina, which was partially wrecked on Corps Islands Rocks, a week ago Sunday, was discovered on fire this morning and consumed to burn till a total loss. The greater portion of the cargo was saved. The vessel is thought to have been set on fire.

## AN EDITOR SENTENCED.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The Magdeburg court has sentenced Herr August Meier, editor of the Socialist Volks-Timme, to forty-nine months imprisonment on the charge of lese majeste.

## SPANISH GUNBOAT FRET.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 10.—The Spanish gunboat fleet consisting of four vessels is coaling here and will sail for Spain today via the island of Martinique. Orders have been received to provide coal for twelve other Spanish vessels.

## SHORT OF COAL.

TALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 10.—The steamer George Heaton, Queenstown to New York, is reported coming to the harbor. She is thought to be short of coal.

## FRENCH CHAMBER DREYFUS INQUIRY

Was Re-Opened Today Amid Great Excitement.

## POLICE HELD BACK THE CROWD.

M. Doschanel Was Chosen President.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The French chamber re-opened today and the Palais Bourbon where the chamber of deputies sits was crowded. Everything points to a stormy sitting of the deputies. It is expected that a vote of confidence will be taken and that it will possibly lead to the fall of the ministry. All the streets in the vicinity of the Palais Bourbon are lined with excited crowds of police and republican guards. The well known deputies were received with mingled cheers and hooting. An enthusiastic deputy offered his seat to M. Quesnay de Beaurepaire, the former president of the civil section of the court of cassation, who has just resigned that office and attacked the court on the ground that it is in favor of Dreyfus. The session was opened at 2:15 p. m. under the presidency of the senior member of the house, M. Charles Boyssac, radical republican, representing the Chateau-sur-Seine division of Seine-et-Marne. Addressing the deputies, M. Boyssac implored them to put an end to the "painful and dangerous divisions" and to again become "calm and self-reliant, side by side with our valiant army." (Cheers.)

The chamber shortly afterwards re-elected M. Doschanel to the presidency of the house by a vote of 323 against 157 votes cast for M. Brisson.

## HON. W. A. RUSSELL

Former Lawrence Man Died in Boston Today.

SERVED IN CONGRESS FROM THIS DISTRICT

Was Prominent in Republican Politics.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Hon. William A. Russell died early this morning from an attack of apoplexy at his home in this city.

Mr. Russell was born in Wells River, Vt., April 22, 1831, and after graduating from Franklin Academy, began his work in the pulp mill, owned by his father, who was a pioneer in the paper industry in New England. Five years later this son was taken into partnership and the pulp mills were removed to Lawrence, Mass. Soon after this his father retired owing to ill health and the son assumed control of the business which grew rapidly.

In 1857 Mr. Russell was elected alderman in the city of Lawrence. In the next year he was chosen a member of the legislature. In 1858 he was also chosen a delegate to the National Republican convention at Cincinnati. He was elected a member of the 40th Congress from 5th Mass. district and served on the committee of commerce, being also a member of the sub-committee to investigate the cause of the decline of American commerce. He was re-elected to congress, serving on the committee on ways and means. Yielding to the demand of his constituents, he was again nominated by acclamation and elected to the 45th congress, in 1874 he declined a re-election to the 19th congress. At the close of his congressional life, Mr. Russell made his winter home in Boston, and passed his summers on the Northshore and at his farm in North Andover.

Mr. Russell was a director of the Fitchburg railroad and past president married and several children survive him of the Commercial club. He was twice

## INSPECTOR ALLEN

LOOKED OVER STOLEN PROPERTY IN BOSTON TODAY.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Dr. F. E. Kittredge of Nashua, N. H., came to Boston this morning and identified a number of stolen musical and surgical instruments in the hands of the police as his property. Others who dropped in to view the property were Chief of Police A. S. Eaton and Inspector Flood of Nashua, and Inspector Allen and Sheehan of Lowell and Lawrence, respectively.

The Nashua doctor's office had been robbed December 12, during the night.

## STEAMER KEEMUM

IS REPORTED ASHORE ON SABLE ISLAND.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The Boston Chamber of Commerce today received a despatch from Halifax announcing that a despatch had been received here to the effect that the Donnellson line steamer Keemum is ashore on Sable Island. The Keemum was bound from Glasgow to St. John, N. B.

## CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Aaron N. Fellows, who on charges preferred by his father, Nicholas Fellows of Watia River, Vt., is under arrest in this city for forgery today waived the formality of extradition papers and was turned over to an officer from Boston.

## ARE CONVALESCING.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Both Hon. J. W. Foster and Hon. Wayne MacVane are convalescing steadily and show considerable improvement today.

## WORKING WOMEN WHO SUFFER.

Should Get Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—The Whole Truth can be Told to her Because she is a Woman.

The suffering and pain endured by some working women is almost past belief. Here is a letter from one of the multitude of women who have been restored to health and usefulness by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine:

DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel as though your advice had lifted me from the grave. I must have been very near it. I suffered terribly at time of menstruation, was constantly troubled with cold hands and feet, was extremely nervous, could not sleep well, was troubled with frightened dreams, had heart trouble and a feeling as though my breath was going to stop, also had leucorrhoea. I tried to get help but all remedies failed, until I wrote to you. I cannot thank you enough for your kind advice, and I wish to tell every one the great good your remedies have done me.—KARMA C. HENNING, Wolfville, Md.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a quarter of a century has been helping women to be strong and well.

The following statement from Miss H. PARKINSON, of 2531 Lawrence St., Philadelphia, Pa., should interest all working women who are troubled with female complaints:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I must write and tell what your medicine has done for me. I am a working girl and have to stay at my work all day. I suffered greatly with bearing-down pains and backache. I was advised by a friend to try your Vegetable Compound. I did so and can say positively I am cured. I have recommended your medicine to all my lady friends, and would advise any of my sex suffering from female weakness to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound a trial, for I know it will cure."

Mrs. Pinkham invites all women troubled about their health to write to her at Lynn, Mass., and secure her advice free of all charge. All such letters are seen and answered by women only.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills

## SENATOR MASON

Makes a Plea for the Filipinos.

"GIVE THEM THEIR INDEPENDENCE

And Make Them Friends Forever."

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—At the beginning of today's session of the senate, Mr. Chandler introduced a senate resolution for the distribution of appropriation bills. He stated that the text of the resolution was the same as that now before the senate committee on rules. He therefore asked that the present resolution be placed on the calendar, stating that either he or Mr. Carter would move to take it up at an early day.

The senate passed a bill authorizing the secretary of agriculture to prepare a report showing the average fluctuation from year to year of farm products.

Mr. Mason (Ill.) took the floor for his announced speech upon his resolution declaring that all just powers of the government are derived from the consent of the governed and that the United States will make no attempt to govern any people against their will.

In the course of his speech, Senator Mason said:

For over one hundred years every lover of liberty has pointed to this sentence of the Declaration of Independence: "That all just powers of government are derived from the consent of the governed," as a reason for their fight for liberty. This sentence has been a pillar of fire by night and has stirred the hearts of the oppressed all over the world. In the light of this sentence crowns have fallen into dust, and the foundations of republics have been built. You ask for expansion. See how we have expanded in the time since this sentence was written. Not only have republics started up in place of monarchies, but monarchies have themselves gradually broadened into constitutional governments, getting nearer and nearer to the voice of the people. Our own was the first republic and in the better and broader sense, our flag floats from the dome of every republic.

The other day when the distinguished Senator from Massachusetts asked the Senator from Connecticut (Platt) what he was going to do with the sentence that "all just powers of government are derived from the consent of the governed," he answered:

"Mr. President, when any great cause is at stake the minds of the people here for its defense such shallow and un-American evasions as this that cause will not live long in the minds of intelligent people."

The Philippines representative is begging to treat with us as to his own land. He acknowledges our gallant service. There is no honest commercial treaty that an honest nation could ask that they are not willing to consent to. They want liberty as we did and when seventy million people have heard their cry for money and independence, the father in New England will plead for the father in Manila; the mother in Illinois will pray for the poor mother

## PETITION DISMISSED

IN THE QUAY CONSPIRACY CASE AT PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—The petition of Senator Quay, his son, Richard H. Quay and ex-Late treasurer Benjamin P. Hayward for a writ of certiorari, reversing the trial of the conspiracy case against them from local court to the Supreme court, was today dismissed by the Supreme court. The case was remanded to the Quarter Sessions Court of this city for trial and the cost of the proceedings were placed on the petitioners.

## CAPITAL REDUCED.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 10.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Worcester National bank, held this noon, it was unanimously voted to reduce the capital from \$500,000 to \$250,000.

## That Can

marked Cottolene, contains the shortening that makes everything else in the market taste more fat for food. It is the sign of a healthy household, where food has been thrown aside; where anthrax and good living and freedom from dyspepsia result from its use.

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# WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.

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England is ever mindful of the valor of her men in the field. Those who serve with distinction are always rewarded. While some of the Sudan heroes have received the Victoria cross others have been awarded the distinguished service order, and several of the officers, including Lord Kitchener, have been promoted to higher rank and have had several orders bestowed upon them. Among the officers and men of the Twenty-first lancers who have received at the queen's hands the Victoria cross are Captain Kenna, Lieutenant de Montmorency and Private Thomas Byrne.

The rewards offered by the English government to the men in the army and navy for heroic services are not merely in the shape of the decorations of the different orders. Each carries with it special privileges and a money com-

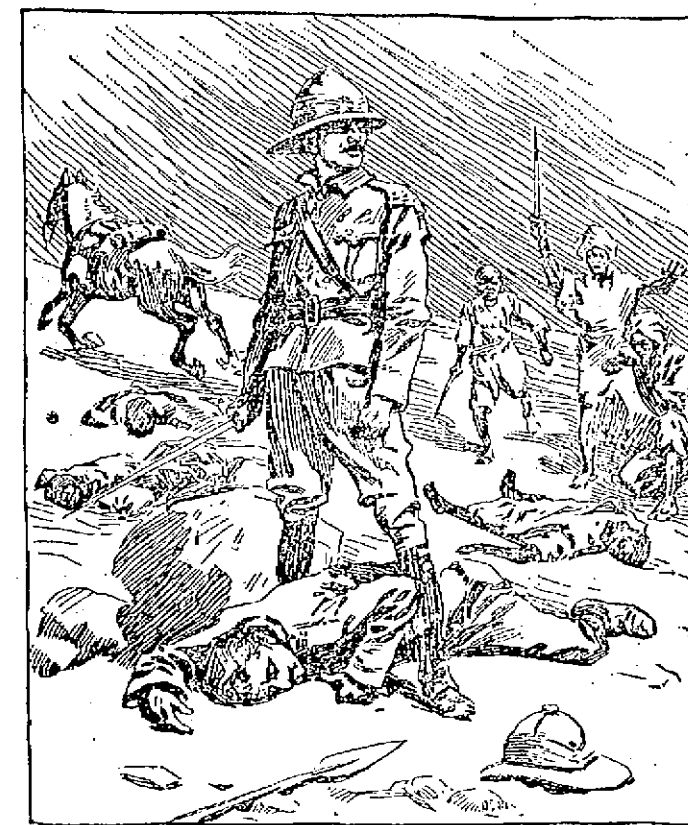


CAPTAIN KENNA WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.

elation. Captain P. A. Kenna, Twenty-first lancers, was awarded the Victoria cross for extreme heroism displayed at the battle of Khartum on Sept. 2, 1898. He went to the assistance of Major Cecil Wyndham of the same regiment when Wyndham was in danger of losing his life. The major had been unhorsed and was surrounded by a number of dervishes. Captain Kenna at great personal risk took him on his horse behind the saddle, thus enabling him to reach a place of safety. After the charge of the lancers Captain Kenna returned to assist Lieutenant de Montmorency in recovering the body of Lieutenant R. C. Grenfell, who had fallen during the charge. Captain Kenna had smelt powder before. He served in some of the Indian campaigns and had been mentioned in special orders on several occasions. He joined the Twenty-first lancers in 1886 and became a captain in 1895.

The deed which won for Lieutenant de Montmorency the Victoria cross occurred right after the charge which has made the Twenty-first lancers famous among the cavalry regiments of England and put them on an equal footing with those which took part in the charges at Waterloo, Balaclava and Issandun. Lieutenant Grenfell was lying surrounded by a large body of dervishes. Lieutenant de Montmorency drove them off, and, finding Grenfell dead, placed the body on his horse, which then broke away, leaving Lieutenant de Montmorency to face the enemy. Captain Kenna and Corporal Swinbrick came to his assistance and enabled him to join his regiment, which had begun to open a destructive fire on the dervishes.

Private Thomas Byrne is the only enlisted man in the lancers who won the Victoria cross. At the battle of Khartum he turned back in the middle of the charge of his regiment and went to the assistance of Lieutenant R. F. Moly-



HOW LIEUTENANT MONTMORENCY WON THE VICTORIA CROSS.

neux, Royal Horse guards, who, wounded, dismounted and unarmed, was being attacked by a number of dervishes. Although seriously wounded, Byrne attacked the enemy, driving them away. He received a second wound while helping Lieutenant Molyneux reach a place of safety.

Captain Nevill M. Smyth of the Second Dragoon guards received the Victoria cross for distinguished services at the battle of Khartum. An Arab had run amuck among a number of the camp followers and had killed or wounded several of them. Captain Smyth rode forward and attacked the fellow, finally killing him, after he had received a dangerous wound in the arm from the spear carried by the Arab. By his brave act he saved the lives of several of the men. Captain Smyth acted as orderly officer to General Hunt during the battle of Khartum, and his horse was killed under him during the hard fighting.

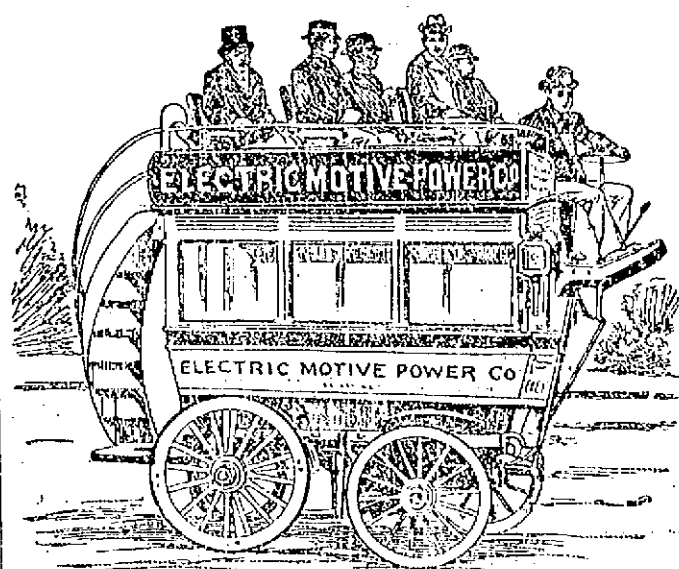
Colonel F. R. Wingate and his colleague, Slatin Pasha, have received well deserved honors for the part they took in the Sudan campaign. Both have become knight commanders of the most distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George. Colonel Wingate was for years at the head of the intelligence department at Cairo, and there is no man in either the English or Egyptian army who knows more about Mahdism than he does. While Slatin Pasha was a captive at Omdurman Colonel Wingate was working for his escape. Colonel Wingate was several times mentioned in special reports of Lord Wolseley for the services he rendered him. Wingate and Slatin Pasha were, so to speak, under the sirdar, the brains of the advancing army. There was nothing about Mahdism or the dervishes worth knowing that these two men did not know. What Slatin Pasha suffered during his imprisonment by the Mahdi is only known to himself. He was the last white man who saw the dead face of the murdered hero, General Gordon. He was at that time a prisoner in chains, but he lived through those years of untold suffering to accomplish the avenging army to wipe out the dervishes.

JOHN R. BULL.

## NOTES FOR THE CURIOUS.

Prairie dogs are increasing so rapidly in west Texas that the people are holding public meetings to formulate some mode of protection. Sannoy, the fallen west African potentate, captured by the French, has had a most picturesque career. He began life as a slave and rose to the dignity of hawking nuts. His real chance came when he was captured in a raid-

## NEW YORK TO HAVE AUTOMOBILE STAGES.



New Yorkers and visitors to New York have long made merry over the Fifth avenue stages and their "crowd" horses, but the interesting thing is to end. The stages will be long be kindling wood and the horses gone, and automobile stages or omnibuses similar to those used in London and Paris will be running up and down the avenue of the opulent.

According to the plans now being considered by the company which will operate the electric vehicle, the route will be through the streets not used by either the electric or cable lines. The main route will be through Fifth avenue, and transfers will be given to the lines operated on the side streets. Most of the streets through which they will pass have been noted with approval. This will give them a smooth road to travel over. The laying of tracks will not be necessary, and consequently the thoroughfares will not have to be torn up or disturbed in any way. The automobile conveyances used both in London and Paris are well patronized, and it is believed by those interested in the venture that New York will take kindly to them, especially the people who do not care to ride in the overcrowded cars.

## The Hero of Crete.

Since the Sudan campaign and the Crete matters have been adjusted many of the officers and men who took part in them have been rewarded by the English government for their bravery or distinguished services. Most of the decorations awarded have gone to the land forces.

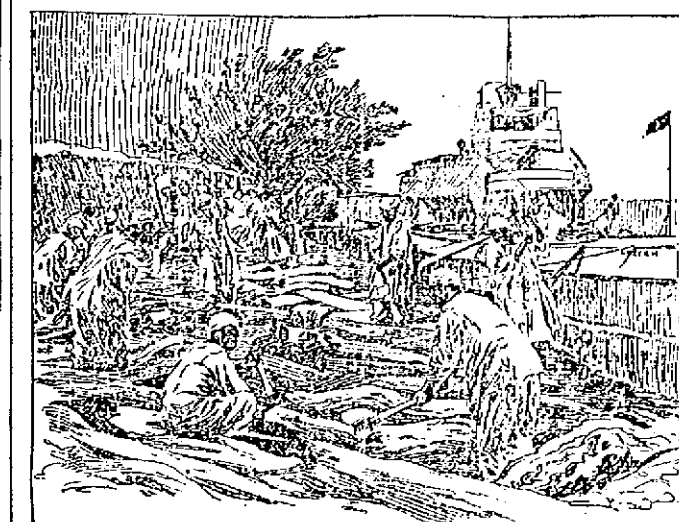
So far as is known the only award to the naval branch of the fighting arm was that given to Rear Admiral Gerard Noel, who was recently created knight commander of the order of St. Michael and St. George in recognition of his valuable services during the recent critical period in Crete in enforcing the ultima-



tum of the powers that Turkish troops should withdraw. He said, "GEE!" and they "got."

Rear Admiral Noel was born in 1815 and entered the navy as a cadet in 1838. He reached the rear admiral's grade in 1892. He commanded the naval guard at Cape Good Hope in 1877 and was awarded the Ashanti medal and the Victoria cross. For a short time he was director of naval intelligence and is divided principally between Spain, Italy, Germany and Belgium. Blue and admiral. He is one of England's foremost naval experts.

## Dervish Prisoners at Work.

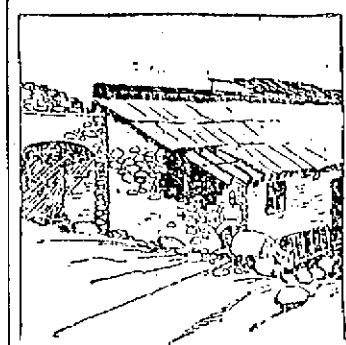


A new occupation has been found for some of the sons of the desert who were made prisoners when the khalifa was defeated and his strongholds, Omdurman and Khartum, laid in ashes. As is well known, most of the dervishes were killed during the battles which led up to Lord Kitchener's great victory. Some of the dervish prisoners were placed on board the little gunboats which did such effective service along the river Nile. They were instructed in the ways of the firework, and it is said, made good stokers. When fuel ran low they were sent on shore (with the guns of the vessel trained on them), supplied with axes and put to work chopping such wood as could be found along the banks of the river. All the fighting qualities seemed to be taken out of them when their chief fled and their cities were in ruins. They worked at their new occupation with wonderful skill and handled the axes as well as they did their spears and long curved swords. When they had completed their work on shore, they carried the fuel to the bunkers of the vessel, where it was carefully stowed away. It was a novel sight to see these black men in their long and spotted linen apparel handling the axes with the swing of a backwoodsman.

ing expedition by the Moslem sultan of Senegambia. He was drafted into the army, made a fine soldier, and as he rose in grade his views expanded until finally he ran away to set up as a potentate on his own account. His native town was the object of his first raid, from that time his power grew almost

## Effect of a Shell In Manila.

There are many buildings in Manila and along the coast line of the bay that show the effects of the projectiles fired from the ships which made Admiral Dewey famous throughout the world. They also show that the guns were handled by well trained men. Some of the houses were completely demolished, while others were badly battered. Where the shots landed they did ef-



fective work. The little house shown in the picture is one which was struck by a small shell fired from one of the ships at the time the city was captured. As will be seen, it took away a great portion of the side wall and left an opening through which a man could easily crawl. The impact of the shell ground the adobe bricks into powder and sent the debris flying in all directions. The little building is situated just outside of the great wall that surrounds the city and was a good target for the men on board the vessels. It was one of the houses used by the government. It was thought during the battle to be one of the enemy's headquarters. There are many buildings in the city proper which received scars from the shots that went over the wall, and these buildings are mute tributes to the superior marksmanship of the men behind the American gun.

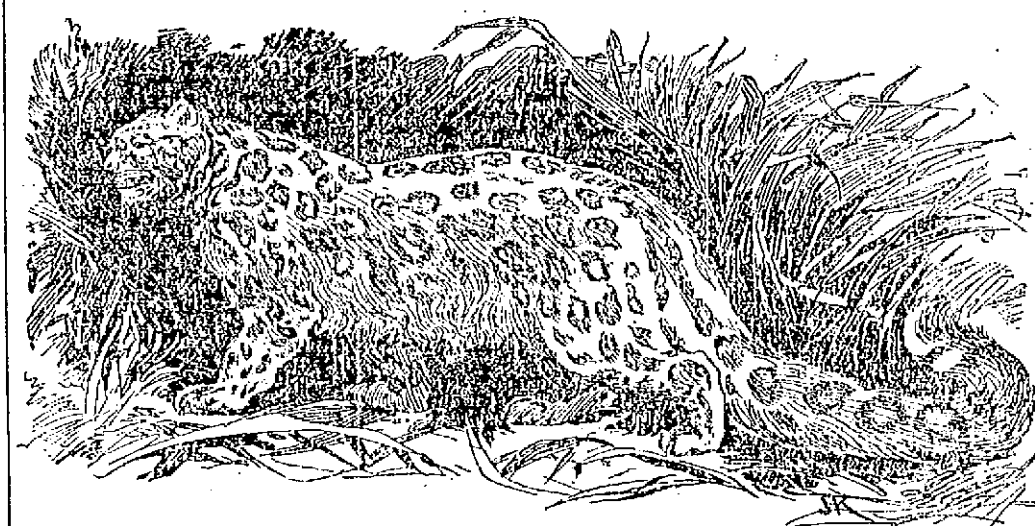
## PRINCE GEORGE IS CRETE'S NEW RULER.



Prince George of Greece is before the public eye again. He has been nominated by the four powers to act as high commissioner of Crete, and it is hoped that in this way the trouble which has been caused by the Turkish troops on that island will be obliterated. Since the Turko-Grecian war many pictures have been published of Prince George. None, however, has shown him since he developed into manhood. Most of the pictures were taken when he was yet a very young man. He is now but 29 years of age. The picture given here is from one of the latest photographs taken of the prince.

Prince George will act as high commissioner, which is the same as governor, for a period of two or three years. He promises to endeavor to give equal justice to the two elements which go largely to make up the population of the island. Turkey has protested against the nomination of Prince George, and it is not believed that the powers have formally notified the Porte of the nomination of the prince as commissioner. The last of the Turkish troops have evacuated Crete, and it is believed that order and peace will easily be restored. Prince George is the second son of the king and queen of Greece. He was born at Corfu in 1869.

## The Rare White Leopard of the Paris Zoo.



The Jardin des Plantes in Paris is in possession of a rare and beautiful animal. In fact it is believed to be the only one of its kind in captivity and is now the center of attraction. The animal in question is a white leopard and was captured in Turkestan. The fur of the ordinary leopard is a yellowish brown, over which are distributed spots of a darker hue. The one now in Paris is a bluish white, with black spots. Its tail is of immense length and is the same color as the body.

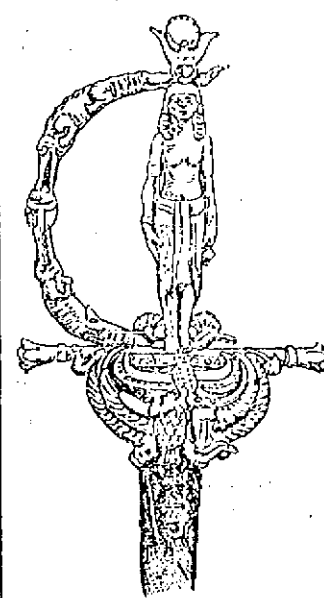
The beast was captured by Prince Gargarie, after much trouble. During the struggle which led up to its capture it received a gunshot wound. As soon as this had healed the leopard was sent to Paris. In its home in Turkestan it was known for its savagery, and for a long time it was impossible to capture it. The leopard was enticed into a trap by the prince. It stood the transportation to Paris without difficulty and seems to be fully contented in its new quarters.

### Gaudy Statistics.

Nearly 1,000,000,000 yards of ribbon of all shades and colors are consumed by the fair sex in general of the continent of Europe every year. Of this huge amount France alone takes one-third. It being a well established fact that Frenchwomen are particularly prone to wear a ribbon of a showy color. Britain awarded the Ashanti medal and the Victoria cross. For a short time he was director of naval intelligence and is divided principally between Spain, Italy, Germany and Belgium. Blue and admiral. He is one of England's foremost naval experts.

## Marchand's Sword.

When an officer of the army or navy of any country specially distinguishes himself by some meritorious deed of gallantry or in some other way proves



worthy of reward, it is a very general custom to present him with a sword of honor, as was recently done in the cases of Admirals Dewey and Schley in this country.

The French people have just taken this means of showing their appreciation of the services rendered to France by Major Marchand, whose expedition to Fashoda so nearly resulted in a war with England. The sword, however, will be given him partly because of the discoveries which the intrepid explorer made in that hitherto almost unknown region of Africa.

A partly nude figure representing ancient Egypt forms the hilt. The two crocodiles, each holding fast to a scepter, represent England and France disputing over the Fashoda territory. A suitable inscription is engraved on the weapon. Major Marchand will be presented with the sword on his return from Africa.

### Parade Punishment.

In the code and sacred books of the Parsees no provision is made for capital punishment, but a culprit is to be beaten with a number of blows, proportioned to his offense, and if he succumbs no one is to blame.

## Passing of the Jinrikisha.

Americans traveling in Japan take much delight in going through the country in the picturesque jinrikishas. They

wheeled phaeton, with the exception that they are not fitted with dashboards and no horses are used to draw them. Strong limbed, deep chested natives draw them about from place to place. The power of endurance of these men is wonderful, and the rate of speed at which they cover the ground is almost beyond comprehension. The body of the carriage is set on well balanced



were until recently the only means of transportation. Modern civilization has done much to improve Japan. Steam railroads have taken the place of the jinrikishas in long distance travels. They are now to be found only in the cities and towns. They are built after the fashion of a two-

spring, which keep it from jolting. It is claimed that the jinrikisha is the invention of an American missionary.

his estate at Abbotsburg, a charming little village a few miles from Weymouth, England. The cost of caring for the swans averages over \$10,000 a year.

Before the war Cuba contributed about one-twelfth of all the tobacco used in the world.

Lord Ilchester has 11,000 swans upon

people could not write their names when Queen Victoria ascended the throne. The proportion in that condition has now been reduced to 7 per cent.

An insurance company of Warsaw, Russian Poland, has discharged all the male agents and collectors, appointing

without hindrance until he began to knock his head against the French sharpshooters.

Experiments made in Paris show that an electric wagon costs 47 per cent less to run than a horse wagon and 32 per cent less than a petrol motor.

More than 40 per cent of the British

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.  
Sail on the Canada, Hamilton, White Star, America, Anchor, Africa, French and German lines to and from Boston, New York, Quebec and Liverpool. Drafts issued on all parts of Ireland at Murphy's agency, 15 Appleton street.

## GOOD TEAS AND COFFEES.

Our teas are strictly new crop, high grade. Our coffees are fresh roasted and ground to order. BROWN BROS., 65 Merrimack street.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**BURN WILSON'S COAL.**  
Smokers enjoy Old Hundred Clear. Old Farmers' Almanacs at Merrill's. T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central street. Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone, 432-1.

To realize the heat in coal, buy some of W. E. Livingston's, 15 Thordike street. Watches cleaned, \$1.00; best work, clocks cleaned, 50c. up. Harris, 10 Appleton street.

The Leather Shearers' union will hold a cake walk and dance Friday night, at Associate hall.

Winter term begins January 2nd at Miss Hard's school. Shorthand and typewriting exclusively taught by the latest and most improved methods.

## AMERICAN BOLT COMPANY.

The American Bolt company corporation at the annual meeting yesterday afternoon, chose the following board of directors: James Minton, Paul Butler, Percy Parker, Mrs. C. A. Butler and Alfred Clark in place of the late President Webster, Paul Butler was re-elected president and Percy Parker, treasurer. The latter was also chosen clerk in place of the late President Webster.

## PLAINTIFF LOST.

In a recent batch of decisions handed down by the full bench of the supreme court was a decision in the case of Henry J. Quinlan, assignee of Henry A. Davis, Henry C. Hallaway and others, against the Massachusetts Baptist convention et al.

## VIOLENCE FEARED.

TO A FORMER LOWELL MAN AT SPRINGFIELD.  
Mr. Simon Deane of Lawrence street left Lowell today, for Springfield, to prosecute inquiries as to the exact cause of the recent death of his brother, Michael Deane, at the almshouse hospital of that city. The latter will be remembered as formerly in the employ of Mr. Edward Cawley and the city of Lowell. It is thought by Lowell relatives to have resulted from unnecessary violence. Marks found on the body led to this belief. A thorough investigation will be made. So Mr. Simon Deane informed a Sun reporter. The funeral of deceased took place on Monday forenoon from the Catholic church in West Springfield, where a requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of the deceased.

## ANNUAL MEETING

## OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE AYER HOME.

The annual meeting of the Ayer Home directors was held yesterday and the following officers were elected: Clerk Miss Mary A. Webster; treasurer, Mr. Charles A. Richardson; auditor, Dr. M. G. Parker; directors, Mrs. C. E. Nichols, Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. Robt. Wood, Mrs. F. F. Battles, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Miss Mary Wight, Miss Charlotte Kisson, Mrs. E. M. Tucke, Mrs. Charlotte Kisson, Mrs. E. M. Tucke, Mrs. F. C. Church, Mrs. L. T. Trull, Mr. Charles H. Coburn, Mr. E. T. Rowell, Mr. A. G. Cummeck, Mr. Fred Lawton, Mr. Walter Coburn, Mr. W. W. Johnson, Dr. M. G. Parker, Mrs. C. A. Richardson.

Mrs. C. E. Nichols declined to serve as president and the place will be filled at the next meeting of the directors. The following new members were elected: Mrs. A. K. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. H. Spalding, Mrs. M. G. Perkins, Mrs. G. E. Pennington, Miss Adelaide Wood, Mrs. George A. Marden, Mrs. Andrew Hotal, Mrs. Walter Parker, Mrs. Andrew Bates, Mrs. Alfred E. Rose, Mrs. E. Bouvier was elected nation of the home for the ensuing year.

## BOWLING NEWS.

GAMES WERE PLAYED AT ARMY, HIGHLAND, WAMESIT, AND MISERABLES ALLEYS.

The Wamestis had a comparatively easy time defeating the Belmonts at the Wamestis alleys last night, the home club winning by about 35 pins. In the final string, the Belmonts lagged while their opponents "made hay while the sun shone." The score: Wamestis—Bratford, 524; McCormick 414; Barth, 422; Merrill, 456; Gregory, 451; totals, 2257.

Belmonts—Adams, 438; Fels, 456; Hill 448; Leonard, 435; Wilson, 453; totals, 2232.

At the army yesterday Dodge's Wonders, with a record and a team which "Billy" Prescott met and immediately enlisted, rolled a game which received the attention of all the boys. The score:

Dodge's Wonders—Rusby, 420; Dodge, 491; Williams, 478; Durant, 401; Driscoll, 515; totals, 2274.

Prescott's Pickups—Prescott, 455; Richardson, 421; Varnum, 342; Jones, 443; Brock, 425; totals, 2297.

Games at the Highland club last night resulted as follows:

Team Seven—Hawes, 459; Thompson, 450; Wellman, 415; Wyman, 449; Donovan, 375; totals, 2151.

Team Ten—Harwell, 516; Crawford, 412; Wilson, 420; Kenney, 407; Kilgore, 428; totals, 2181.

Team One—Barton, 480; L. P. Kirtledge, 432; Kirby, 472; Tarbell, 447; Favor, 423; totals, 2257.

Team Six—A. H. Kittredge, 377; Swift 315; Hanson, 319; Weaver, 435; Tilton, 475; totals, 2011.

G. O. Taylor Whiskies invigorates the system.

## BOTH BRANCHES MET

## But the Aldermen Did Not Ballot.

## Assessors Matter Gets Further Attention and a Hearing is Scheduled—Mahoney and Wheeler Elected Assessors by Common Council—A Resolution to Bring Bodies of Soldiers From Cuba.

Seats were at a premium at city hall last evening when both branches of the city council held disappointingly quiet meetings, the absence of Alderman McNulty causing no balloting in the upper branch. The lower branch balloted mainly on the city messenger matter but without coming to a choice. Lorenzo Smith showed the greater strength. Again there was repeated ballot box stuffing in the lower branch. In this body, too, John P. Mahoney and Abel Wheeler were re-elected as principal assessors.

**COMMON COUNCIL.**  
Twenty-six members of the common council responded to the roll call at 8:15 o'clock and in the absence of Clerk Dowling who was ill, Councilman Murkland officiated in that position. The appointment of Lawrence J. Thyme as pound keeper was concurred in after which the notice of the election of General Dimon as chairman of the board of aldermen was read.

Notice of the election of John H. (Florida) to the water board in non-concurrence was read and the election of Joshua M. Hadley as a fence viewer was concurred in.

The following joint resolution authorizing the honor the mayor, to cause bodies of Sergeant Ralph B. Walker and Private Joseph L. Wallace, late of Company M, Ninth Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers to be brought to Lowell and buried, was introduced by Councilman Mitten:

"Resolved by the board of aldermen and common council of the city of Lowell in the city council assembled as follows:

"That His Honor, the mayor, be and he is hereby authorized to cause the bodies of Sergeant Ralph B. Walker and Private Joseph L. Wallace, late of Company M, Ninth Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers, who died in Cuba during the late war with Spain, to be brought to Lowell and buried; the expense not to exceed \$500, the same to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals."

The order was unanimously adopted. An order for a joint special committee on insurance was adopted and Councilmen Wiggin, Murkland, and Bonke were named as a committee.

On motion of Councilman Wiggin the council proceeded to ballot for a member of the water board and Messrs. Wiggin, Lebrun and Mullaney were named as a committee to receive and count ballots.

The first ballot resulted as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 26 Necessary to a choice ..... 14 J. H. Murkland ..... 12 J. H. Richardson ..... 12 J. C. Taff ..... 4 J. W. Bennett ..... 1

The president declared "no choice" and at 8:30 o'clock on motion of Councilman Badger a recess of five minutes was voted.

At 9 o'clock the republicans, who went into caucus immediately after the recess was voted came in and the council was called to order.

The petition of John A. Faulkner for the extension of Munroe street and that of the estate of John M. Peve and notices of suits were referred to their proper committees, as was done in the upper branch.

Alderman Peirce's appropriation order was adopted in concurrence as was all other concurrent business sent down to the lower branch for aldermen's records being Councilman Mitten, Hatch and Markham.

On motion of Councilman Wiggin the council proceeded to ballot for a member of the board of assessors of taxes for two years.

Messrs. Wiggin, Bonkers and Bonke were appointed a committee to receive and count ballots.

The committee reported the result of the ballot as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 25 Necessary to a choice ..... 13 John P. Mahoney ..... 12 John E. Maguire ..... 4 John E. Taff ..... 4

The ballot was declared void and on motion of Councilman Wiggin and secretary was instructed to count the ballots for Mr. Mahoney and Mr. Maguire for the office of assessor.

On motion of Councilman Mullaney a ballot was then taken for a member of the water board and Messrs. Mullaney, Baker and Brown were named as a committee to receive and count ballots.

The result was announced as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 27 Necessary to a choice ..... 15 L. E. Smith ..... 12 A. L. Murkland ..... 12 J. H. Richardson ..... 12 J. C. Taff ..... 4

A ballot for city messenger was then taken, on motion of Councilman Mullaney, and Messrs. Clark, Lyman, and Stafford were named as a committee to receive and count ballots.

The result was announced as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 26 Necessary to a choice ..... 15 L. E. Smith ..... 12 F. M. Fagan ..... 12 C. F. Goring ..... 10 W. E. Savage ..... 1

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Whole number of votes cast ..... 23 Necessary to a choice ..... 12 Abel Wheeler ..... 12 John E. Maguire ..... 8 John E. Taff ..... 3

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TELLER MURPHY TWO STEAMERS SERIOUS CHARGE

Disclaims Disposition to Exercise Sovereignty.

Files Another Exception to His Sentence.

Apparently Disabled Sighted at Sea.

Made Against Judge Low Today.

OVER THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

SAYS THAT IT IS NOT LEGAL.

BY THE STEAMER ROTTERDAM.

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The Resolution Presented to Senate Today.

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Situation in the Philippines Most Grave.

TO DISPENSE LIQUOR FOR MEDICAL USE.

NO SUGGESTION OF AN AMENDMENT.

PREPARING TO DEFEND MANILA.

In Charge of a Competent Official.

Senator Davis Will Report the Treaty.

Americans Not Permitted to Land.

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—Representative Bates of Brockton, chairman of the committee on liquor law, introduced in the House today, a measure relating to the establishment of dispensaries for the sale of alcohol and intoxicating liquors in no-license cities and towns. The petitioners include Mayor Emory A. Low, Ex-Mayor Zita, C. Keith, ex-Senator A. F. Barker, W. L. Douglass, District Attorney Robert O. Harris, Charles Williamson, George H. Garfield and others of Brockton.

The bill accompanying the petition provides for the establishment of dispensaries in no-license cities and towns, not to exceed one for each 20,000 inhabitants or fraction thereof for the sale of pure alcohol and intoxicating liquors for medicinal purposes only. Every dispensary shall be in charge of an official, appointed by the mayor or selectmen annually who shall furnish a bond of \$1000, the city council or selectmen to designate the salary, also that the liquor dispenser shall make a weekly report to the city or town treasurer, containing a statement of his receipts and expenditures, these to be transmitted to the chief of the state police who shall tabulate and incorporate them into his annual report to the legislature.

Section 15 of the bill provides that in any city or town where a liquor dispenser is appointed, no license of the sixth class for the sale of liquors shall be granted to wholesale or retail druggists or apothecaries nor shall they sell alcoholic or spirituous liquors, except mixing them with other ingredients, according to the prescription of a physician, to be used as medicine or used for medicinal purposes. Further, druggists shall keep an accurate record of all spirituous liquor bought for use or sale and shall make a quarterly report on oath to the city or town treasurer.

Violation of the provisions of these sections is punishable by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500.

Representative Ross of New Bedford, chairman of the committee on labor, introduced in the house today a bill providing that no minor under 18 years of age and no woman shall be employed in any mercantile establishment more than 55 hours in one week except during the month of December in any year. The bill exempts cities and towns of 40,000 and under from the provisions of the act. The law is now 6 hours a week.

Mr. Adams of Melrose, presented a petition for the passage of an act incorporating the city of Melrose.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The senate committee on foreign relations today authorized Senator Davis to report the peace treaty favorable without amendment.

The committee was in session for over an hour and the most part of this time was consumed in waiting for a quorum, the senators meantime discussing informally the provisions of the treaty. There was only a bare quorum of the committee present, but Senators Morgan and Gray were the only democrats in attendance but the other democrats, Senators Dandridge, Mills and Turpie, had full notice of the purpose of the meeting and they indicated no opposition to immediate action. There was no suggestion of any amendment in committee. Senator Davis was instructed to press the treaty upon the attention of the senate with the view to securing as early action as possible. The committee also authorized Senator Davis to report favorably upon the proposition to remove the injunction of secrecy.

TRIP TO MANCHESTER.

Delegations of the Knights of Columbus from Lowell, Boston and Lawrence will go by special train to Manchester, N. H., on Sunday next to work the third degree. The degree work will begin at 3 p. m.

FAVORABLE TO LORD.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 11.—A caucus of the 21 democratic members of the legislature was held today and Hon. Samuel L. Lord of Saco was unanimously chosen as a candidate for United States senator against Senator Hale.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Minn., arrived in his city today. He is on his way to Rome to see Pope Leo XIII.

FUNERALS.

MARSHALL.—The funeral of the late Rufus W. Marshall will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mr. William A. Sherwell, of 200 Pine street.

NOBLE.—The funeral of Miss Margaret Noble took place this morning from her home, 4 Pleasant street, and services were held at the Immaculate Conception church. Rev. Fr. Murphy, O. M. I., celebrated the mass and the choir rendered the Gregorian chant under the direction of Prof. P. P. Hingerty. Burial service was also held at the grave in the Catholic cemetery, where the remains were interred. Fr. Murphy officiated. The bearers were Fred Garvin, William Holland, John Noble, Jr., Frank McMahon, John Lynch and Edward Mooney. Undertaker McDermott had charge.

BRAY.—The funeral of Theresa Bray was held yesterday afternoon from her home, 371 Lakeview avenue and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. The bearers were John Killbride, Robert Holt, James Gell and Joseph Coffey. Rev. Fr. Gilday of St. Michael's church read burial service at the grave. Among the floral tributes received was a handsome design of a cross, upon which was the offering of the parents of the deceased.

MERCER.—The funeral of the late Jenn Baptiste Mercer took place this morning from St. Joseph's church where solemn high mass of requies was sung by Rev. Fr. Desrochers, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Fr. O'Leary, O. M. I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Perrin, O. M. I., sub-deacon. The interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Deceased had been a resident of Lowell for more than 30 years. He is survived by six sons, John B., Jr., Francis and Acadus of Lowell; Nelson of Melrose; Cyril of Salem; and Alaric of Macor, Ga.; and three daughters, Mrs. Joseph Gail, Mrs. Arthur Rickett and Mrs. Philip Desmarais, all of Lowell.

TROLLEY TO LAWRENCE.

The members of St. Peter's church choir will trolley by special car to Lawrence to-night, leaving the "Square" at 7.30 o'clock. The destination is the Brunswick hotel where "mine host" Hamman will provide supper to be followed by vocal and instrumental music and a good time in general.

JESSE DE LONG DEAD.

NILES, Mich., Jan. 11.—Jesse De Long, the well known horseman, died today at his home at Fairland. His death was caused by the grip. Mr. De Long was owner of many celebrated running horses and was known on nearly every track east of the Mississippi river.

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# SHARKEY'S FIGHT

## The Sailor Knocked Out "Kid" McCoy.



TOM SHARKEY, the Victor.

### The "Kid" Put up an Admirable Fight and Knocked Sharkey Down Twice in the Third—McCoy Put Out in the Tenth.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—At the Lenox A. C. last night, Kid McCoy, legitimately a middleweight pugilist, was knocked out by Tom Sharkey a heavyweight who now stands next to Bob Fitzsimmons, the champion pugilist of the world. McCoy, having great confidence in himself, went out of his class to meet a man whom he outclassed in science but was not strong enough to finish.

It was a great fight from first to last. Nine rounds had been fought with McCoy dancing round his huge antagonist like a shadow. Sharkey had been knocked flat twice in the third round. From this point he had slowly grown strong again.

In the eighth round he landed a terrific punch on McCoy's solar plexus and the latter bent up like a jackknife.

came out and there was a storm of electric thunderbolts. For a while the two men mingled in an interrupted whirl. But McCoy's blows seemed to have lost their serpentine cunning. He seemed to have grown gray-skinned and old.

In the center of the ring came McCoy's last rush. Summoning all his energies, he jumped forward with an upward whirl of his right fist, which fell on Sharkey's chin. The sailor reeled back like a wild horse with his front hoofs in the air. Again McCoy sprang forward like a whirl of rifle smoke and struck like a thousand coils of electricity.

He stopped the big man as a wolf stops a bull. It was McCoy's last rally. On Sharkey's mouth there was a bloody foam. From his throat there came a dull rattle. He rushed at McCoy with his arms flying like sails.

The little fellow was weak. At the east side of the ring the sailor caught an opening and around came his left like a trip hammer.

It sounded like the rap of an axe on a barrel head. Down on his side toppled McCoy, with a glassy stare in his eyes. His feet quivered as those of a dying bullock, his gloved hooked convulsively into the canvaslike claws of a lobster. Over him stood the referee tallying off the fatal seconds. Around him swept a tornado of sound, the pean of victory for his burly opponent.

McCoy did not realize that he was counted out. He staggered weakly to his feet, dazed and half blind and put up his hands. Again the broad-chested sailor rushed forward, swung a right savagely on McCoy's ear and again McCoy fell prone on his face and half way through the ropes. This time he stayed there with the great amphitheatre whirling about him like a giant wheel. Before him there were a thousand Sharkeys. The sailor was sitting in his chair.

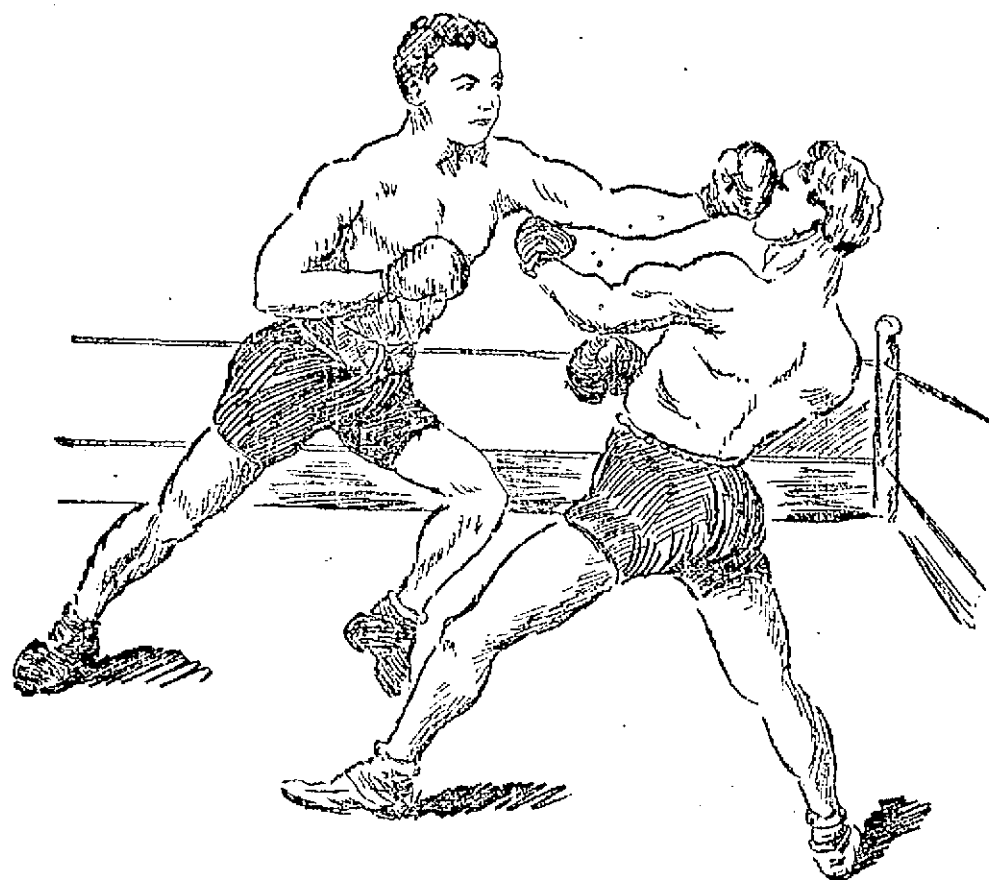
When Sharkey realized that he had won he sprang to his feet and kissed all his seconds except Armstrong.

McCoy staggered to his feet drunkenly and tried to put up his hands not realizing that he was beaten. They fell to his sides. He reeled backward and would have fallen had his seconds not run forward and caught him in their arms.

For McCoy it was an honorable defeat; for Sharkey a notable victory.

#### FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

McCoy went round and round, then fainted and Sharkey broke. Sharkey stood and McCoy jabbed him on the body with the left. He tried again with a left at the head, but Sharkey slipped it and they came to a clinch. He fainted Sharkey until his arms were in the air and then jotted him full on the nose with left. A second later he got the left to the body, fainted Sharkey blind and sent a terrific left hand whip to the wind. Then his right missed and they clinched. Sharkey missed five left hooks in succession had his hands in the air all the way through and hit McCoy on the



SHARKEY MISSES A LEAD AND GETS A HOT COUNTER.

shoulder once with his right.

#### ROUND TWO.

McCoy ran and fainted until Sharkey tried with his left and missed. Then McCoy drew Sharkey's short right and got his long left hook inside of it. His right followed, but only reached the ear. McCoy missed a left but got in a straight left jolt and then the right. Sharkey fainted and clashed, then rushed and missed by a mile with his right. He tried to corner McCoy but the latter slipped away each time. McCoy's left went full to Sharkey's nose and the sailor came back with eyes

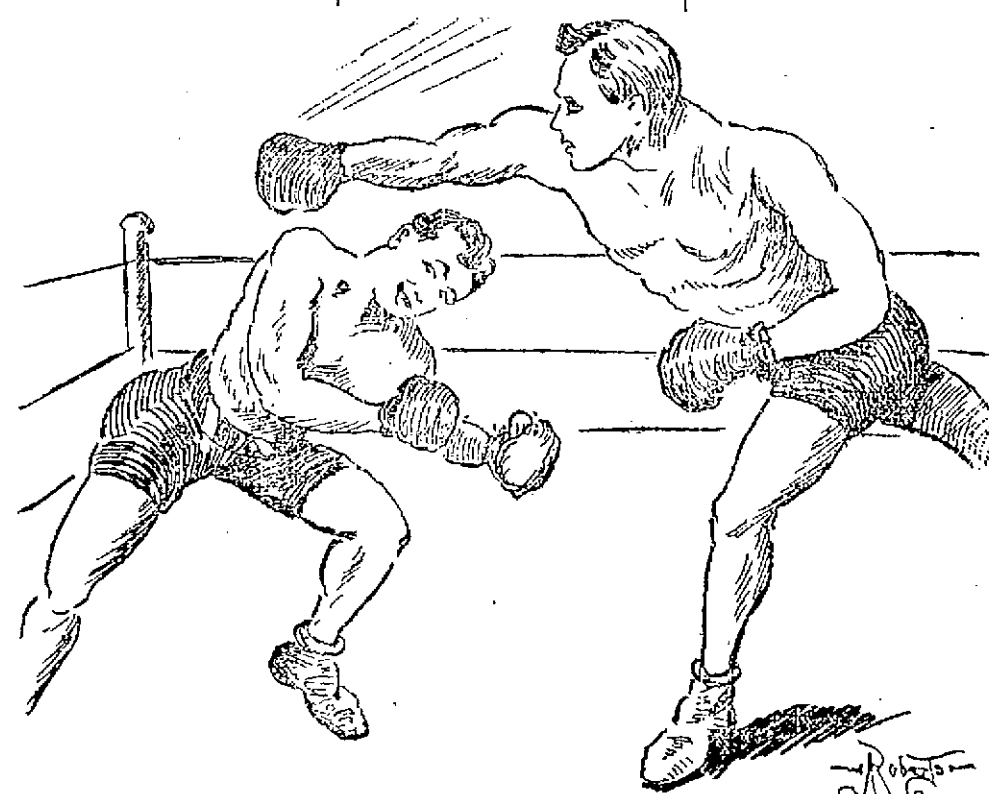
This seemed to annoy Tom who was unused to such quick footwork and McCoy hit his opponent with another quick jab on the nose. Twice around the ring McCoy side-stepped, and at each step forced his left jab, landing lightly. Suddenly the "Kid" stood right and sent his right to the face, repeating the blow within two seconds so hard that Tom fell to the floor. Tom jumped up like a rubber ball rebounding and again he fell to the floor. The bell found them spurring.

#### ROUND FOUR.

McCoy's footwork was marvelous.

#### ROUND SIX.

Sharkey was on the aggressive. McCoy was very wary, using his feet to advantage. Tom caught him side-stepping landing a left hook low on the body and another on the ribs close to the heart. McCoy jabbed his left to the face and body but failed to dodge a left hook from Tom which caught him on the neck under the ear. Tom kept on the aggressive and caught McCoy on the ropes without gaining anything. Tom caught McCoy in the corner and gave him two lefts in the face. McCoy jumped to the middle



SHARKEY MAKES A VICIOUS SWING, BUT MCCOY ISN'T THERE.

closed and both hands in the air. McCoy blocked, then slipped in and hugged. Sharkey's right eye was red.

#### ROUND THREE.

Tom tried to force matters and McCoy, at close quarters, sent his left to the ear and ducked away from a left swing. Each sent lefts to the head at close quarters with little effect, and McCoy's footwork puzzled Tom, who could not land on the breast. Tom then sent his left to the neck, and McCoy jabbed a hard left on the nose.

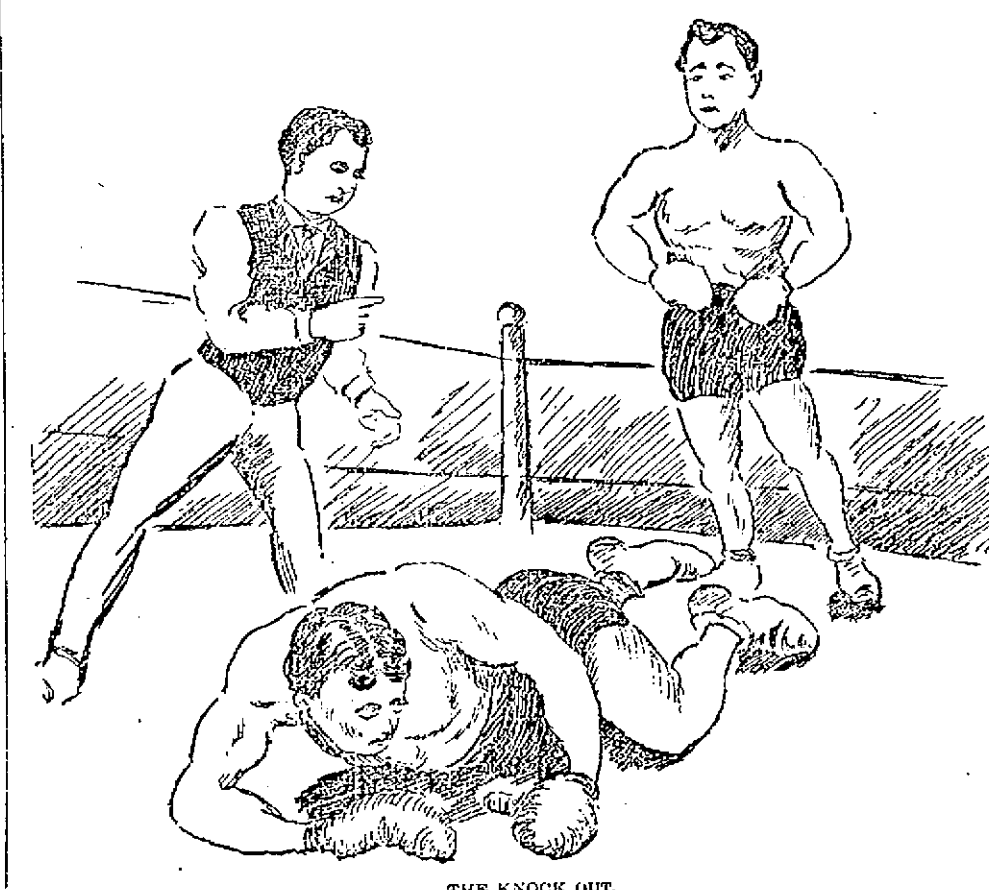
He cut out the pace and Sharkey could not reach him through the Kid's clever side-stepping. Once in a while McCoy would stop and send that long left to the stomach and right on the ear. McCoy countered heavily with his right on the head. Tom kept rushing ineffectually and once he caught McCoy in the neutral corner, sending his left to the right ribs, only landing a glancing blow. Both men were fresh at the end of the round.

hooked his left and sent his right across to the head, but they were glancing blows. At this stage of the game the betting was \$200 even Sharkey would knock out McCoy.

#### ROUND SEVEN.

Both blocked cleverly for half a minute, Tom swinging his left for the head. McCoy blocked the blows with his elbow and side-stepped out of the ring and side-stepped, but Tom

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## LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

General Shafter was denied a place on the floor of the house of representatives at Washington on Monday, and justly so. This is an honor granted to men of distinction, and although Shafter may claim to be worthy of such an honor, yet his unimpaired manner and his admitted failure as a military commander have disgusted the nation, so that in most cases he is looked upon with contempt, rather than as a patriot and a hero. He had no right to the privilege of the House and his exclusion was just and proper.

The South Boston district in this year making a vigorous fight against getting a surplus of liquor licenses. Last year it had to make a similar fight, against being flooded with licenses. The license limit in Boston is one to each five hundred of population but the commissioners would give South Boston one for every two hundred and fifty population if the people did not raise any objection. At present it is announced that forty licenses are to be granted in South Boston which is about one-half more than the law would permit on the basis of population. Of course the law does not insist that the licenses shall be distributed within the limits of the city according to population, as in most cases they are located in close proximity to the business districts while some parts of the city, notably the residential portions, have no licenses at all. It is all right to grant no licenses in residential districts, but it is all wrong to crowd too many into any particular district.

It is rather surprising to find the civil service commission, which should not dabble in local politics, trying to defeat the appointment of a young lady to a position at city hall framed by ordinance. The civil service law would perhaps be all right if it would only oppose partisan appointments and award all positions on the basis of merit alone; but we regret to say that the civil service commission has too often been made the cat's paw of small politicians. The civil service rules are all very good, but they are not lived up to by the commission. The civil service commission like the legislature of Massachusetts is very often appealed to by politicians to win some personal fight and in this particular case we understand the fight is against the young woman not particularly on the ground of qualification but because somebody else wants the place who is, perhaps, not as well qualified to perform its duties. The sooner we get rid of this species of civil service reform the better it will be for all concerned.

## SENATOR HOAR'S SPEECH

Senator Hoar's speech against the policy of expansion is one of the best that has been delivered for years in the United States senate and it is doubtful if there is another man in the senate capable of making such a grand argument upon any question. In his speech our senior senator has brought renown upon himself, honor upon the state he represents and lustre upon the senate. The brilliant oration is replete with citations from the highest constitutional authorities, showing that to assume sovereignty over the Philippines would be not only a gross injustice to them, but opposed to the spirit and letter of our constitution, as well as a continual menace to the peace and happiness and prosperity of the American people. Senator Hoar's appeal may not be effective in breaking up the plans of the republican party, but it is a most effective and powerful single speech in fragments and quotations, it may be, will permeate throughout this nation until every citizen is convinced of the danger and injustice if not the unconstitutionality of the tyranny of holding vast territories and assuming sovereignty over

a portion of Malaysia under the claim that we have purchased Spain's sovereignty therein. When William Jennings Bryan gets such an eloquent supporter as Senator Hoar to back him up in his contention there is little doubt of his complete victory.

## THE RAILROAD HORROR.

Another railroad horror has been added to the long list which has shocked the people of this country during the past year. The collision on the Lehigh Valley road on Monday could have been caused only by extreme stupidity and criminal negligence. It occurred on a double track road while one of the trucks were blocked by a freight wreck. The single track for a space of six miles for a time was used for trains in both directions and under the circumstances it would seem to be the highest stupidity for the officials of the road to run trains in opposite directions at the same time on this same piece of track.

Nevertheless this is just what occurred and what caused the terrible catastrophe in which thirteen persons were killed outright and perhaps fifty maimed for life. The management of the road is clearly responsible and should be severely punished, although judging from the influence which railroad companies have with the state legislature and even with congress, and perhaps we might also say with some grand juries, the parties liable in this case are likely to go scot free.

Mayor Quincy of Boston is making a strong fight against the erection of skyscraping buildings in that city. There is one named Haddon Hall on Commonwealth avenue of eleven stories in height, and the residents of that fashionable avenue are agitating for the removal of four or five stories of this building in order that it may not tower so high above the others. They are afraid, perhaps, that in case of a cyclone or even a hurricane one-half of this building might be blown over on the neighboring buildings and apart from this consideration some of the residents think it does not look well to have such a disparity in the height of the buildings. The owner of Haddon Hall on this point is quite unconcerned. He holds that if Mayor Quincy's suggestion for the decapitation of his building is carried out, he will be well recompensed for the change and he suggests that if the other residents dislike the disparity in the height of the buildings they should make their own as high as his. However, this skyscraper seems to shock the artistic sense of the residents of Commonwealth avenue and it has even appeared to Mayor Quincy's architectural taste and he says that there should be more symmetry in the buildings. It is remarkable that nothing was said while the building was being erected beyond the fact that nobody knew just where it was going to stop or whether the owner was attempting to rival the historic tower of Babel.

Considerable of a furore has been caused in New York by the fact that pugilistic bouts by girls on the stage have been prohibited by the police. They were carried on at Koster & Blum's theatre in which Clay Loftus, wife of Justin H. McCarthy, was playing, and he protested that he would withdraw his better half unless this disagreeable feature was stopped. It has been stopped by the police and Clay Loftus will pursue the even tenor of her way at the theatre as long as the public interest is sufficient to make her engagement a paying investment.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

Springfield Republican—Sincerely it is to be hoped that the difficulties in the Philippines may be adjusted without bloodshed and satisfactorily to the people of those islands. But if it shall come to pass that American shot and shell are employed to dispossess an admittedly civilized and friendly native government in any spot upon the islands, one of the blackest acts in all our history will have been committed, which will follow the administration responsible for it to defeat and infamy.

Worcester Telegram—More men, women and children are starving in Havana today than at any time in the many months that the United States has been stirred by stories of starvation under Spanish rule. Havana is filled to overflowing by sightseers, job-seeking American tourists and speculators. The United States government is in control of the city, and is doing nothing to lessen the hardships. Have we quit being "humanitarians" nearly a year ago we started out to feed the people of Cuba, but have not yet given them a crumb. That makes a long while between drinks, and raises a question as to whether we are a howling success in the blessing game.

Boston Post—The growth of public sentiment favoring the inclusion of telephone companies among those over which the state exercises supervision in behalf of the people has been notably rapid during the year. The strongest business sentiment of the state is behind the movement for state regulation. The popular demand for a reduction in telephone rates which can be secured only through the intervention of an impartial tribunal of arbitration between the users and the corporation has been most emphatic. As in the case of gas and electric lighting, it is seen that relief and security to the public can only be gained by opening the doors to competition but by a wise and judicious system of state control. This is in line with the policy of the state already established, with most beneficial results, in respect to other public and quasi-public services. The telephone service falls properly within this class and that point was definitely settled when the American Bell Telephone company came before the legislature asking exceptions from the usual restrictions upon the terms of additional control



HENRY CABOT LODGE, Re-nominated for Senator by the Republicans of Massachusetts.

stock. It remains only to apply the principle established at that time to the situation which now confronts the state.

## SHARKEY'S FIGHT.

(Continued.)  
harin's way. Two clinches followed in which the referee had to go between the men to separate them. Coming together at close quarters, McCoy got his left to the wind and landed his right on the head. Landing and blocking cleverly on both sides was then the order and McCoy landed a left hook on Tom's right eye, raising a mouse over the cheek bone. Both were fresh when the gong sounded.

## ROUND EIGHT.

They rushed to a clinch with nothing doing. McCoy sent a left swing to the head, Tom replying with his left to the head. Sparring continued without injury to either, and then Tom shouted, "I'm tired." The "Kid" led a beautiful left for the head, but Tom twisted away bringing his left to the ribs. In a rush Tom played for the body, landing his left seemingly low, and McCoy dropped to the floor of the ring, where he wriggled for 8 seconds. It looked as if McCoy were down about 12 seconds, but the referee's count was only eight. McCoy came up again, seemingly unharmed, and finished the round sparring.

## ROUND NINE.

McCoy opened with a left on the jaw and Tom replied with left and right on the head, forcing the "Kid" all over the ring. Tom forced the fighting into his own corner where he got McCoy with a terrible left in the stomach, sending a pall of water all over Tom Sullivan, who was sitting in the box. McCoy got up quickly, but got another blow in the wind, which forced him to the ropes. Then Tom forced the fighting and landed half a dozen hard lefts on the breast and stomach as McCoy was trying to get away to the left. This was Tom's round by long odds.

## ROUND TEN.

"The Kid" kept skipping to the right and ran into a clinch, where he held Sharkey without a blow being struck. Sharkey taking the advice of his chief second, Tom O'Rourke, played for the body, but McCoy guarded himself effectively.

Again Tom turned his attention to the body and landed on the ribs with his left. Then Sharkey turned his attention to the upper works, McCoy replying to the right, with Sharkey having a decided advantage. The referee let by both left and right, landing on the body, and forced McCoy to the east end of the ring close to the center upright. McCoy faltered, and Tom caught him with a left swing on the neck. McCoy fell to the floor with his head hanging over the lowest of the three ropes, looking imploringly around. He lay there helpless while the referee counted 10 seconds, after which he struggled to his feet, and Sharkey not knowing the limit had expired, rushed at him once more, this time saving his right on the neck just below the jaw, McCoy falling again. Then McCoy seemed to be in a helpless condition, but the referee, Tim Hart, did not trouble himself counting seconds, but waived his right hand to Sharkey to retire to his corner, saying at the same time: "I counted McCoy out on the other fall. You've won."

McCoy struggled to his feet and staggered to his corner, where his seconds were already awaiting him. They placed him on a stool. Sharkey's adherents almost smothered him with embraces and congratulations. Time of round, 1m., 13s.

## THE BOYS CONFESSED.

Boston, Jan. 11, 1899.—The \$1000 jewelry robbery at the store of Jordan Marsh & Co. some days ago, has been solved. Yesterday afternoon two boys were arrested by police inspectors. Both made confessions. They will be arraigned in court today. The prisoners are Frank J. Morris, 15 years of 7 Willow park, and Paul A. Conkey aged 17, of 26 Vernon street, Roxbury. The Morris boy is employed as a messenger by the firm. The Conkey boy works in a printing office.

Mrs. George Stillman Fenderson is quite ill at her residence on Gaits street.

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## MRS. GILL DEAD

She Was a Sister of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

## HER ROMANTIC COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE.

She Aspired to Literary Honors.

BOSTON, Jan. 11, 1899.—Over the cable flashed yesterday the announcement that Mrs. William Fearing Gill had died in Paris.

This announcement conveyed but little to the people of Boston, but to some it recalled incidents of long ago that today give the news of the death of Mrs. Gill considerable interest.

She was the eldest sister of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and was beautiful and talented. She aspired to literary honors and attained some reputation as a writer of novels, her best book being "Sweet Scented Grass."

Her maiden name was Edith Wynne and her birthplace Cincinnati.

Her husband was Wm. Fearing Gill, the son of Thomas Gill, who during the regime of Editor Greene, was a writer on the Post.

The Gills were Roman Catholics, and the father was among the leaders of the Massachusetts Democracy. Young Gill was trained to the newspaper business, and while on a trip to New York he met Miss Wynne. The young people became lovers, but when marriage was suggested it raised a storm of protest. The Wynne family did everything to keep the young lovers apart.

A novel expedient was decided upon. Miss Wynne was determined to become Mrs. Gill. She chose for her marriage an evening in June, 1858, when her sister was at the theatre and her uncle on a business trip out of town. The young couple simply stood up, in the presence of two witnesses, and declared themselves man and wife.

The sisters were hurried off to Narragansett Pier, where Gill remained in New York and tried to conciliate the uncle. The result was that in November that year they had a church wedding, performed by the Rev. Dr. Raines, of St. George's church.

Finally Mr. Gill sued for divorce, alleging that she was addicted to the use of alcohol. They separated and she went to Paris to live.

Mr. Gill when he came to New York organized a company which put yellow cabs on the streets there. He wrote several plays, and appeared in them as well.

Three years ago Mr. Gill went to Paris it is understood, on a mission for the New York Herald. He met his wife there, and as a result when he returned to Boston on the steamship Canada, in September of 1897, he brought with him the only child born to the couple, a handsome boy, who was then about five years old.

## BAD RUNAWAY

HACK HORSES RUN AWAY ON DUTTON ST.—DRIVER INJURED.

An exciting and dangerous runaway occurred on Dutton street yesterday afternoon when a pair of horses attached to one of Stable Keeper McNulty's hacks took flight at an electric car it is said, and ran away.

The horses dashed into Liberty St. and were forced on the sidewalk by an electric car. There they collided with a stone post and electric light pole smashing the hack in several places. They were caught and held before they could get out of the maze of teams. The horses were covered with sweat and appeared to have come quite a distance, but no one could tell just where they started from.

The driver's cushion and a blanket were picked up on Dutton street. Later the driver, Peter O'Rourke, residing on Central street, who had been thrown off on Dutton street was found near the hack badly bruised and was taken to his home in the ambulance.

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Probate Court.  
Middlesex, SS.  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Robert Tweed, late of Lowell in said County, deceased, interested:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. McKeown of said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1899, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a non-partisan newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on any day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this 10th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

S. H. F. LINSLEY, Register.

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The Brownies held a delightfully social dance last night in Pleasant Hall, which was attended by friends of the club. Preceding the dancing engagements Hubbard's orchestra rendered a pretty overture. The dance concluded with the "Midnight Bells." The officers in charge:

General Manager, James A. Pinner; assistant general manager, Walter R. King; floor marshal, Dan. Berry; chief aid, John Egan; aids, Michael Flannery, John Connors; treasurer, Wm. McLaughlin.

## THE SAME OLD STORY.

TOLD ON THE STREETS OF LOWELL AS WELL AS ELSEWHERE.

Some things you cannot tell too often. Repetition gives them added strength. The same old story is pleasant to hear.

When it brings happiness to home. Brings joy to the afflicted. Tells how the burden can be raised. How the back can be relieved. All the pains and aches removed. Lowell people tell this story. Friends and neighbors talk of it. They tell their neighbors, tell their friends.

They tell you about their kidney ills. How they suffered, how the cure came. What they think of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's what a citizen says: Mrs. F. Warburton, residing at 70 Elm street, says: "I suffered intensely for three years with kidney trouble, producing dizziness, headaches, prolonged backaches, broken rest, torture in stooping and bending, and great soreness over the kidneys. I could not find relief in the many remedies taken or physician's prescription. At last I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised at Ellingwood & Co.'s, corner of Merrimack and Central streets and resolved to try them. I did so and from the first they did me more good than all the remedies I had taken. They relieved me of all the kidney aches and pains. I have no more backache nor aching kidneys or dizziness. You may refer to me, as I am glad to tell others what Doan's Kidney Pills did for me."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Mailed by the Foster-McBum company, Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

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House lots near the new Moody street bridge, on the principal streets and avenues with all modern improvements, such as gas, city water, sewer, sidewalks, schools, etc. The location is the best in the city, being in the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The corner is measured only 6 1/2 feet from the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The lot is 100 feet wide and 100 feet deep. The price is \$1000. Call on Emery, 3 Hildebrath Building, Old Post Office.

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## 6 O'CLOCK

### AN AZTEC TEMPLE

Discovered by Archaeologists  
In Texas.

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STARTED THE SEARCH.

Many Valuable Relics Are  
Disclosed.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 11.—An Aztec temple long buried beneath the surface of the earth has been discovered within the limits of this city, according to Dr. Leo Herson, a graduate of Oxford university and archaeologist of note who is connected with the Preparatorio university at the city of Mexico.

At his own solicitation, he was sent by the Mexican government to search for the remains of an Aztec temple and village which he learned from ancient records in the archives of Mexico were situated somewhere near here on the left bank of the Rio Grande.

Recently the scientist unearthed several stones covered with hieroglyphics within the corporate limits of the town and at a depth of ten feet a wall of solid masonry was uncovered. Dr. Herson is confident that he has discovered the Aztec temple and expects to unearth many relics of great value. He has discovered many valuable Aztec relics in Mexico, among them the famous God Pacha, now in the city of Mexico and a number of tablets of stone covered with hieroglyphics which when deciphered, proved to be of great benefit historically.

### DEATHS.

HUNT—Frank Hunt, a former well known and highly respected young resident of this city, died yesterday at Lawrence whither he removed some time ago and after a short stay made it his place of residence. The remains have been removed to Lowell and the funeral will be held at 10 a. m., tomorrow from Undertaker O'Donnell's warehouse. Deceased is survived by a mother, one brother, John, assistant superintendent of penmanship in the public schools, and one sister, Miss Sarah Hunt, all of this city.

SAVAGE—Mary A. Savage, aged 14 years, daughter of Edward and Mary, died this morning at 22 Smith avenue.

LEMEUX—Clara, infant daughter of Narcisse and Antoinette Lemeux, died yesterday at her parents' home, 159 Hall street.

PRESCOTT—Henry Adams Prescott died at his home, 183 High street, Lawrence, Saturday. He was born in Westford, Jan. 13, 1811, and was therefore within a few days of 88 years of age. In early life he was prominent in the affairs of his native town, and at the age of 36 held all the town offices. In the early forties he removed to Lowell where he was in business for several years. Later he removed to Ogdensburg, N. Y. For more than forty years he had resided in Lawrence. He maintained his youthful interest in public affairs in an unusual degree for one of his years and was a useful and public spirited citizen. His health had not been as good as usual this winter and he quickly succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. He was twice married. He leaves a son and daughter, George H. of Forge Village and Clara F. of Lawrence. He is survived also by a brother Edward Prescott and a sister Mrs. Sarah Lawrence, both of Westford. The funeral was from his late residence this afternoon and interment was in the Bellevue cemetery in Lawrence.

HIGGINS—Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins died Tuesday morning at her residence on the Lowell road in Hudson. She was formerly a resident of Lowell. She leaves a son, Henry, a veteran of the civil war in the Sixth Massachusetts, and a grandson, William.

RILEY—Hugh Riley, aged five years died at his parents' home, 5 Hudson street yesterday. He was the son of Hugh and Mary Riley.

FLETCHER—Ellen Fletcher, aged 11 years, died yesterday at the city hospital.

CROSS—Mrs. John Cross, one of the oldest and most widely known residents of Nashua is dead at her home on Franklin street in that city. About three weeks ago she fell and broke her shoulder and she never recovered from the shock the fall entailed. She was a noble woman, devoted to her family and her home and hundreds of friends will mourn her death.

Mrs. Cross was born in the adjoining town of Hudson, the daughter of Reuben and Eunice Sargent, and was aged 32 years, 8 months. For 27 years she had resided in Nashua. She was a member of the First Congregational church and took a deep interest in the welfare of that society.

She is survived by a husband, a daughter, Mrs. James H. Tolles, and a son, Mr. John Allen Cross, all of whom reside in Nashua; a sister, Mrs. Esther N. Dodge of Haver, Mass., and a brother, Benjamin Sargent of Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Cross had been married about 53 years and deceased had always enjoyed good health until a few weeks previous to her death.

### OLD RAIL ROAD DEPOT

ON CENTRAL STREET SAID TO HAVE BEEN LEASED.

It is said that the large grocery firm of Cobb, Bales & Yerxa of Boston has leased the front of the Boston & Maine station on Central street and will open a branch store there. Inquiries at the office of Agent Traft failed to receive a verification of the story.



Sketch of the Dead Body of Frank Ingalls Found on Aiken Street This Morning.

## MYSTERIOUS DEATH

### Frank Ingalls Found Dying on Aiken Street.

### Was Run Into by a Runaway Which Mysteriously Disappeared Early This Morning—Body is at St. John's Hospital.

The ghastly find of a dying man lying at the northern approach to the Aiken street bridge at 6:15 this morning is the subject of a mystery for the local police to unravel and the identity of the unknown dead man at St. John's hospital will be the first step in the unravelling of the mystery. At 6:15 this morning, two men called at the little shoe shop of P. Morneau at 759 Aiken street, near Lakeview avenue, carrying between them a dying man. They stated that the man was hurt in a runaway and asked permission to lay him there while they called the ambulance.

The man was unconscious and moaned slightly while lying in the cobbler's shop. The two men were strangers and they informed Mr. Morneau that they had found the unfortunate man between a horse's legs at the entrance of the bridge.

When the ambulance arrived the dying man was taken past St. John's hospital, the driver not stopping to ascertain the particulars. When the ambulance went, the two men went away in the dark and that is all any one knows of the mystery. No one knew the two men, nor could any one tell whether or not there was a horse at the bridge at that time. The two men gave the impression that the unfortunate had been the victim of a runaway and the unsuspecting people who were about took their word for it and made no further inquiries.

The unknown man died at St. John's hospital shortly after the arrival of the ambulance not having regained consciousness. The body is that of a man about 50 years, heavily built, 5 feet 2 inches in height, with very light hair, slightly tinged with gray and a blonde mustache. The appearance of his hair and mustache would indicate that he might be a German. His hands were soft and scrupulously clean and he evidently did no laborious or dirty work. The third finger of the left hand is bent peculiarly as if broken. The body was clothed in clean cotton underswear, dark brown overcoat, dark trousers, and overshoes. The body is perfectly clean and would indicate that deceased had recently come from the bath.

In the vest pocket was an American Watchman gold watch numbered 35823; but nothing else that would lead to his identification.

His injuries consist of a fracture at the base of the skull and the left side of the body is badly contused and lacerated with gray and a bloody mottled, the victim quite conclusively had been dragged some distance.

Several persons called at the hospital but could not identify the body. A Sun reporter after much questioning among the French people of the vicinity of Aiken street learned that a dinner pail and contents were found scattered on the ground at the bridge showing that the man was on his way to work in one of the mills. The fact that no horse was found and that the horse which must have caused his injuries is completely unaccounted for in the mystery, induces quite conclusively that the unfortunate man was not driving, but was walking over the bridge to work and was run down by an unknown and fatally injured, the unknown, fearful of the consequences driving away in the dark to escape detection and undoubtedly arrest. Some of the people in the vicinity believe that the unknown man was caught between two teams on the bridge and dragged by one of the horses, prob-

ably drawing the inference from the fact that two men carried him to the cobbler's shop.

Ingalls, employed in the Tremont & Suffolk mills as a painter and his father, a woman who was in the little gathering that watched the body being placed in the ambulance suddenly cried out: "Why, it's Mr. Hurst of Dracont."

The "Mr. Hurst" in question is Benjamin Hurst of Pleasant street, Dracont. A Sun reporter called at Mr. Hurst's house and later at the Massachusetts mills where he is employed and found him safe and sound. The facial resemblance between Mr. Hurst and the dead man, however, is striking.

It is thought that the dead man belongs in Dracont but whoever he may be, as he carried his dinner, he will not be missed at home until night.

### BODY IDENTIFIED.

This afternoon a man named William Robinson identified the body as being that of Frank Ingalls, second hand of the Tremont & Suffolk paint shop. The unfortunate man lived on Riverside street and leaves a wife and three children.

daughter, who is employed in the cloth room of the same mill were on their way to work from their home in Varnum avenue and crossing the Aiken street bridge when the accident happened. Two sleighs were going in opposite directions and the daughter unfortunately jumped out of her sleigh and ran along to work, thinking that her father was coming on behind her. She being unaware that he had been struck by the sleigh. Second hand William Robinson of the Tremont & Suffolk mills who later identified the body at St. John's hospital in the presence of the Sun reporter, saw at the time of the accident what he thought to be a buffalo robe lying in the road. But it proved to be the body of Ingalls. The latter who is a native of New Hampshire is 50 years of age, but has lived in Lowell for a number of years. He is survived by a wife and two children, the daughter above alluded to and one son. The two former called at St. John's hospital after the identification had been made known and made arrangements for Undertaker Brooks to take charge of the remains.

REV. JOSEPH ROBBINS ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 11.—In the house of representatives this morning a concurrent resolution was adopted postponing the election of a public printer until after a joint committee has investigated and reported whether the present system shall be continued or a form of contract rule be instituted.

Rev. Joseph R. Robbins, president of the Dover district of the Methodist church has been elected as chaplain of the legislature.

VOTED TO LIQUIDATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
BOSTON, Jan. 11.—At a meeting of the Howard National bank today it was voted to liquidate by a vote of 8211 out of 8298 shares represented at the meeting.

G. O. Taylor Whiskies, decidedly medicinal.

## POISONED MEAT

### Causes the Death of Two Persons

### AND MAKES SEVEN MORE ILL

### The Animal Slaughtered Was Diseased.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Jan. 11.—As a result of eating pork from a hog afflicted with trichinosis, Rike, daughter of August Kellerman, a farmer near here is dead. Her mother can live but a few hours and, the father and five children are ill. Two boys named Peibest, neighbors, who partook of the food, are very low with slight chances of recovery. The hog when slaughtered had the appearance of being in an unhealthy condition.

## VESSELS ICED UP

### Gale Carried the Horatio Kall off Shore.

### AT FIRST THOUGHT SHE WAS DISABLED.

### But She Was Adjusting the Compass.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHATHAM, Mass., Jan. 11.—The life savers along the Cape shore experienced a trying time last night and early this morning as the weather was very severe and it was necessary to keep a sharp lookout for disabled vessels. A stiff northeasterly gale prevailed and the thermometer went as low as seven at Naueset, with temperatures ranging from 10 to 11 at other stations. The harbors and small streams were frozen over and this forenoon Chatham bay was a mass of ice.

The Maine steamship company's steamer Horatio Hall, Captain Briggs from New York to Portland, was sighted drifting broadside to the gale one mile off Orleans early this forenoon. The Hall passed Chatham at 6:10 o'clock and when off Orleans Inlet the vessel seemed to lose headway and she made no progress for over an hour. High seas were dashing against her and she was pretty well ked up. The gale carried the boat off shore, and it was at first thought the machinery was disabled. The Orleans life saving station signalled the boat, asking if any assistance was needed, but Captain Briggs made no reply. Not long after this the steamer proceeded. It has since been learned that the Hall was probably adjusting her compass, as a man boarded the steamer when she left New York for that purpose. It is thought that the first favorable opportunity for adjusting the compass was presented when the steamer arrived off Orleans.

Several sailing vessels came down from the northward under shortened sail this morning and attempted to make a lee under the Chatham shore. All were badly ked up. A schooner came to off Chatham and was apparently a solid mass of ice. The life savers continued their vigilance all the forenoon.

INJURED PERSONS RECOVERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—At the Mulenberg hospital in Plainfield, today, it was stated that all the persons injured in the Lehigh valley collision now in that hospital, were doing well with the exception of Engineer Kieck and Henry John Porrean, the four month's old baby from Shamokin. Both are in a critical condition.

## THE LAST TRIBUTE OF THE CAMPAIGN

Paid to Cornelius O'Hearn  
Today.

### VAST CONGREGATION AT PARTY STANDS BY CHICAGO PLATFORM

### Representative Citizens Attend Services.

The funeral of Mr. Cornelius O'Hearn of Market street, who died at his home Sunday afternoon, was held this morning from his late residence. Services were held at St. Patrick's church which was filled with friends and acquaintances of the deceased long before the arrival there of the body. Shortly previous to 10 o'clock and with the tolling of the bells in the lower the cortege proceeded from the residence and following the hearse, in which were the remains, was a long line of vehicles in which were relatives and friends who attended the services at the church and also witnessed the interment in the Catholic cemetery. As the body was being borne down the centre aisle prior to the beginning of mass the chimes rendered a portion of the "De Profundis" and Mr. Michael J. Johnson at the organ played a funeral march as the clergymen entered the sanctuary. Meanwhile a corps of ushers obtained seats for the congregation and when services were begun a large representation of out-of-town friends of the family were present. Among those who attended were several members of the city government including Mayor Crowley.

Rev. James Walsh of Ayer, Mass., a stopson of the deceased celebrated the mass and Rev. Edward Welch of Salem was deacon. Rev. Thomas McManon of Brighton seminary was sub-deacon and Rev. John J. Shaw of North Chelmsford, master of ceremonies. Besides the clergymen who assisted in the celebration of mass inside the sanctuary were: Rev. John J. McHugh and Rev. J. Leonard of St. Patrick's; Rev. W. George Mullin and Rev. Edward P. Saunders of St. Peter's; Rev. Fr. Boland of St. Michael's; Rev. James Gilday of Woburn; Rev. John Gilday of St. Michael's; Rev. Daniel J. Gleason of Randolph; and several seminarians, "class-mates" of Rev. John O'Hearn of Brighton seminary and a son of the deceased. The remains reposed in a beautiful black broadcloth casket with silver bars on either side entwined with satin cord and over the name plate was a wreath of laurel and a spray of American beauty roses, the floral tribute of the bereaved family. The choir rendered the Schmidt requiem and the offertory. Miss Josephine Finn rendered the "Ave Marie." At the conclusion of service and as the casket was being removed from the church Miss Nemo Gallagher sang the hymn "The Mount of Calvary." Burial was in the Catholic cemetery and at the grave, solemn service was also held, several clergymen officiating. The bearers were Deputy Sheriff Jeremiah Sheehan of Pittsburg, James Carmichael, Michael Whelton, Maurice Ahearn, Daniel Sullivan and Stephen J. Riley of Providence.

Undertaker O'Donnell had charge of the funeral.

Under the same source comes the mauling talk of an alliance with England. We are to repeat the experience of the bomb and the down with the men and we have toddlers and flunkies in America who would consider it a privilege to be inside the lion.

Other great questions vital to our existence have been evolved by the age and must be met. But the financial question is basic and central. It is the mother of a whole brood of evils. What about it, to 17. Well, my friends, it is not in our power to change it. It is our wish to get things right along any other line. Change the ratio and the whole case dissolves. To drop the ratio is to betray the cause.

This is an age of concentration in all things and the formation of private monopolies in particular. In harmony with the law as it has stood for centuries we have denounced this but to no purpose. We have legislated against it but in vain. When they went before some subversive federal judge and had it declared unconstitutional. Our remedy has failed. Private monopoly is as injurious and as much of a crime as ever and we cannot stop its birth; we must change our tactics and convert private monopolies into public monopolies. Give the whole public the benefits of the monopoly instead of a few individuals. Let the government take them. This is not state socialism. It is simply protecting the people and therefore is democracy in its broadest sense. The European people fight socialism but get the greatest benefits from collective ownership.

There are hundreds of things that the public cannot do. But there are a great many that it can, should and must do. It has been demonstrated that municipalities can successfully and very profitably own and operate water, gas and electric light plants, street railway systems and a number of other things. The American people are prepared to move along this line and every such step by helping the people will help the democracy. The American people are also prepared to take

the telegraph and telephone monopoly and make them part of the post office and thus not only cheapen the service by one-half, but make the telegraph neutral in politics. Ours is almost the only great government in the world that does not own the telegraph lines.

I believe that our people are also prepared for postal savings banks and widening the functions of the post department. It is safe and very cheap to the public. Ah, say you, this is a fight against money and we have none. This is true, but no great moral and political reform ever yet rested on money. If the sugar trust or the Standard Oil trust would give us ten millions of dollars to make a campaign without cause would be lost. It would be Clevelandism over again. Even if we won the election our moral force would be gone and we would accomplish nothing. It is the ardor of devotees that shakes empires and we must win this fight by a self-sacrificing manhood. Men with flesh-pots cannot help us. I hear the derisive laughter of Mark Hanna at the mention of manhood. But, my friends, American manhood will yet survive to throw the deploring time of oblivion upon his polluted grave.

DISGUSTING "HUGGER"

AN UNKNOWN MAN MAKES HIMSELF OBNOXIOUS TO LAW-RENCE FEMALE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.  
LAWRENCE, Jan. 10.—The local police are again after the Prospect hill hugger.

The other night he got in his fine work, and in a most bold manner as if defying identification and detection. This is probably where he made one of the most important mistakes of his life, for him, and a good one for the residents of the hill.

The facts of the case are these: Miss Margaret Kirk is one of the most esteemed clerks at the great store of Lord and Hughes, ladylike and refined in every way. She is small of stature. A few evenings ago, after her work was finished and she was going home in company with her sister and a friend when near the corner of Pleasant street she was seized from behind about the waist. Naturally she was much startled, but supposed it the rough joke of some acquaintance. The persistence and familiarity of the fellow, however, seriously frightened her and her two friends, and Miss Kirk and her friends saw the fellow thoroughly frightened and lost no time in getting home, which luckily was near by.

The matter has been reported to the police and it is probable that Miss Kirk will shortly be called into court to identify the fellow, that is if he has not slipped town. He is not thought to be the same man who was caught in this funny business some little time since near the poor farm. However, it is peculiar that all these assaults should be in the vicinity of the hill.

As one questioner put it, the fate of his life had been connected with the residents of the hill with this fellow "hugger." There is not much doubt but what he soon will be.

J. FRANK HADLEY

DEAD AT FALL RIVER.

J. Frank Hadley died suddenly at his home on Linden street, Fall River, Monday, of heart disease. For six months he had been ill with the dropsy, and his sufferings were no acute that he had to sleep in a chair. Ten minutes before he died he read the paper. He attempted to rise, but fell and fell dead. Deceased was 49 years of age, and for the greater part of his life had been connected with the clothing department of the mills of Lowell, an overseer. He was very well known among the mill men of the city. He leaves a widow and seven children, the oldest being Charles M. Hadley, the timekeeper in the street department of Fall River. The remains were interred at Pittsfield.

MANAGER SKIPPED.

H. B. Tucker, lessee and manager of the Fuller theatre on Purchase street, New Bedford, has left the city, and several creditors are purchasing his property, the owner of the building, where the theatre was conducted, actors, actresses and attaches are mourning the fact. These people were under contract for the week at salaries ranging from \$15 to \$25 each, and were left practically stranded. The playhouse was conducted with the permission to run the show and get what they could in a performance to get them to Boston, where they had friends.

The performances were given and the people connected with the place received about \$250 each. Tucker is said to have gotten away with about \$200 and is alleged to be in Lowell where he is quite well known.

Philly J. Farley, Esq., has returned to town very much improved in health.

Miss Margaret Johnston has returned from a seven weeks' vacation spent at her old home in Chateaufort, N. Y. She reports a pleasant time and her smile is broader than ever.

PRICE OF COPPER

A MOVEMENT IS REPORTED TO BE ON FOOT TO ADVANCE IT. By Associated Press to The Sun.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—The Tribune says: Manufacturers of insulated copper wire from various sections of the country have been in executive session for the last two days at the auditorium annex engaged in perfecting the final details of a combination which is expected to bring about a material advance in the price of that product. The movement is said to be a part of the larger combine for advancing the general price of copper. A good deal of the time was also devoted to trying to reach an agreement with the fire underwriters regarding a quality of wire which would be acceptable to the latter. Considerable friction rose over this point, some of the manufacturers claiming the right to fix the price of their customers' wire, but the underwriters demanded a certain standard and this was finally conceded.



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# WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.



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England is ever mindful of the valor of her men in the field. Those who serve with distinction are always rewarded. While some of the Sudan heroes have received the Victoria cross others have been awarded the distinguished service order, and several of the officers, including Lord Kitchener, have been promoted to higher rank and have had several orders bestowed upon them. Among the officers and men of the Twenty-first lancers who have received at the queen's hands the Victoria cross are Captain Kenna, Lieutenant de Montmorency and Private Thomas Byrne.

The rewards offered by the English government to the men in the army and navy for heroic services are not merely in the shape of the decorations of the different orders. Each carries with it special privileges and a money con-

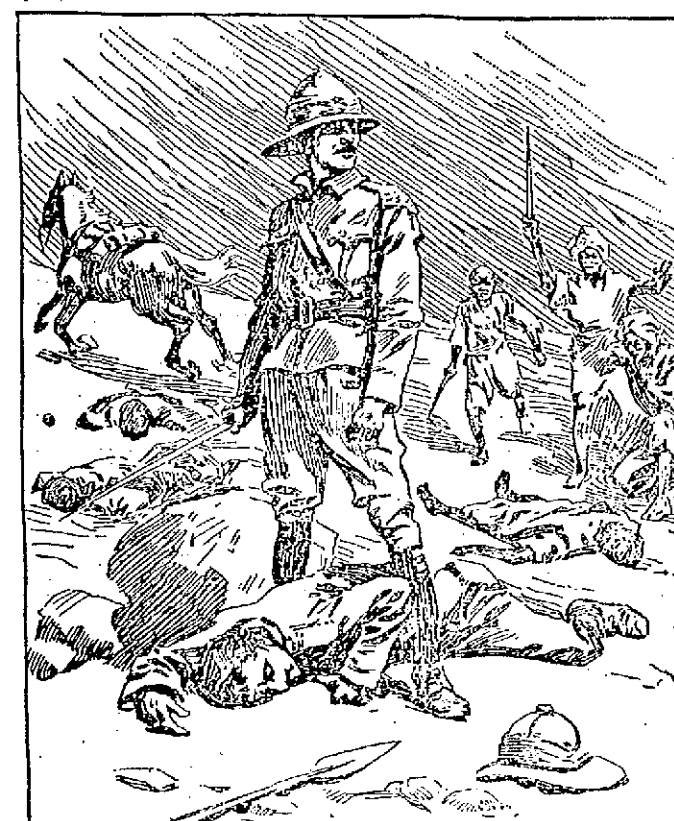


CAPTAIN KENNA WINNING THE VICTORIA CROSS.

sideration. Captain P. A. Kenna, Twenty-first lancers, was awarded the Victoria cross for extreme heroism displayed at the battle of Khartum on Sept. 2, 1898. He went to the assistance of Major Croie Wyndham of the same regiment when Wyndham was in danger of losing his life. The major had been unhorsed and was surrounded by a number of dervishes. Captain Kenna at great personal risk took him on his horse behind the saddle, thus enabling him to reach a place of safety. After the charge of the lancers Captain Kenna returned to assist Lieutenant de Montmorency in recovering the body of Lieutenant M. G. Grenfell, who had fallen during the charge. Captain Kenna had smelt powder before. He served in some of the India campaigns and had been mentioned in special orders on several occasions. He joined the Twenty-first lancers in 1893 and became a captain in 1895.

The deed which won for Lieutenant de Montmorency the Victoria cross occurred right after the charge which has made the Twenty-first lancers famous among the cavalry regiments of England and put them on an equal footing with those which took part in the charges at Waterloo, Balaclava and Kassassin. Lieutenant Grenfell was lying surrounded by a large body of dervishes. Lieutenant de Montmorency drove them off, and, finding Grenfell dead, placed the body on his horse, which then broke away, leaving Lieutenant de Montmorency to face the enemy. Captain Kenna and Corporal Swarbrick came to his assistance and enabled him to join his regiment, which had begun to open a destructive fire on the dervishes.

Private Thomas Byrne is the only enlisted man in the lancers who won the Victoria cross. At the battle of Khartum he turned back in the middle of the charge of his regiment and went to the assistance of Lieutenant R. F. Moly-



HOW LIEUTENANT MONTMORENCY WON THE VICTORIA CROSS.

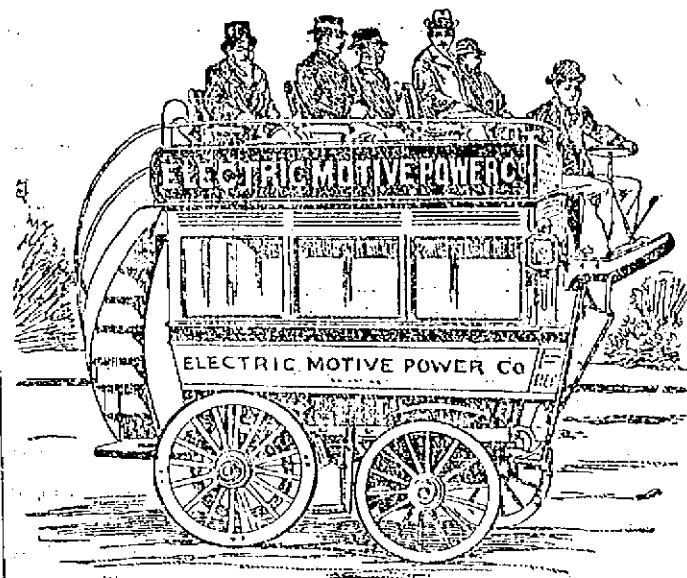
neux. Royal Horse guards, who, wounded, dismounted and unarmed, was being attacked by a number of dervishes. Although seriously wounded, Byrne attacked the enemy, driving them away. He received a second wound while helping Lieutenant Molyneux reach a place of safety.

Captain Nevill M. Smyth of the Second Dragoon guards received the Victoria cross for distinguished services at the battle of Khartum. An Arab had run amuck among a number of the camp followers and had killed or wounded several of them. Captain Smyth rode forward and attacked the fellow, finally killing him, after he had received a dangerous wound in the arm from the spear carried by the Arab. By his brave act he saved the lives of several of the men. Captain Smyth acted as orderly officer in General Hunt during the battle of Khartum, and his horse was killed under him during the hard fighting.

Colonel P. R. Winkate and his colleague, Slatin Pasha, have received well deserved honors for the part they took in the Sudan campaign. Both have become knight commanders of the most distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George. Colonel Winkate was for years at the head of the intelligence department at Cairo, and there is no man in either the English or Egyptian army who knows more about Mahdism than he does. While Slatin Pasha was a captive at Omdurman Colonel Winkate was working for his escape. Colonel Winkate was several times mentioned in special reports of Lord Wolseley for the services he rendered him. Winkate and Slatin Pasha were, under the strain, the brains of the advancing army. There was nothing about Mahdism or the dervishes worth knowing that these two men did not know. What Slatin Pasha suffered during his imprisonment by the Mahdists is only known to himself. He was the last white man who saw the dead face of the murdered hero, General Gordon. He was at that time a prisoner in chains, but he lived through those years of untold suffering to accompany the avenging army to wipe out the dervishes.

JOHN R. BULL.

## NEW YORK TO HAVE AUTOMOBILE STAGES.



New Yorkers and visitors to New York have long made merry over the Fifth Avenue stages and their "crowbar" horses, but the merry-making is to end. The stages will be long be kindling wood and the horses glue, and automobile stages or omnibuses similar to those used in London and Paris will be running up and down the avenue of the opulent.

According to the plans now being considered by the company which will operate the electric vehicle, the route will be through the streets not used by either the electric or cable lines. The main route will be through Fifth avenue, and transfers will be given to the lines operated on the side streets. Most of the streets through which they will pass have been paved with asphalt. This will give them a smooth road to travel over. The laying of tracks will not be necessary, and consequently the thoroughfares will not have to be torn up or disturbed in any way. The automobile conveyances used both in London and Paris are well patronized, and it is believed by those interested in the venture that New York will take kindly to them, especially the people who do not care to ride in the overcrowded cars.

## The Hero of Crete.

Since the Sudan campaign and the Crete matters have been adjusted many of the officers and men who took part in them have been rewarded by the English government for their bravery or distinguished services. Most of the decorations awarded have gone to the land forces.

So far as is known the only award to the naval branch of the fighting arm was that given to Rear Admiral Gerard Noel, who was recently created knight commander of the order of St. Michael and St. George in recognition of his valuable services during the recent conflict in Crete in enforcing the ultimatum of the powers that Turkish troops should withdraw. He said, "Gilt" and they got it.



Rear Admiral Noel was born in 1815 and entered the navy as a cadet in 1838. He reached the rear admiral's grade in 1886. He commanded the naval guard at Cape Coast Castle in 1874 and was awarded the Ashanti medal and the Kumassie clasp. For a short time he was director of naval intelligence and until January last a naval lord in the admiralty. He is one of England's foremost naval experts.

Gaudy Statistics. Nearly 1,000,000,000 yards of ribbon of all shades and colors are consumed by the fair sex in general of the continent of Europe every year. Of this huge amount France alone takes one-third, it being a well established fact that Frenchwomen are particularly prone to anything of a showy color. Britain comes next, but in very long way behind, with 39,000,000 yards, and the rest is divided principally between Spain, Italy, Germany and Belgium. Blue and the higher pinks and scarlet are the favorite shades.

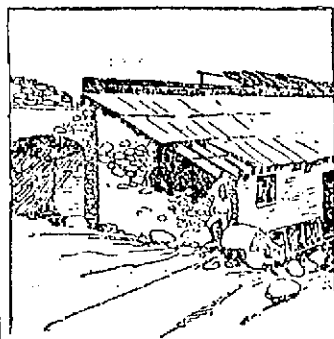
## Dervish Prisoners at Work.



A new occupation has been found for some of the sons of the desert who were made prisoners when the Khalifa was defeated and his strongholds, Omdurman and Khartum, laid in ashes. As is well known, most of the dervishes were killed during the battles which led up to Lord Kitchener's great victory. Some of the dervish prisoners were placed on board the little gunboats which did such effective service along the river Nile. They were instructed in the ways of the fireroom, and it is said, made good stokers. When fuel ran low, they were sent on shore (with the guns of the vessel trained on them), supplied with axes and put to work chopping such wood as could be found along the banks of the river. All the fighting qualities seemed to be taken out of them when their chief fed and their rifles were in ruins. They worked at their new occupation with wonderful skill and handled the axes as well as they did their spears, and long curved swords. When they had completed their work on shore, they carried the fuel to the bunkers of the vessel, where it was carefully stowed away. It was a novel sight to see these black men in their long and spotless linen apparel handling the axes with the swing of a backwoodsman.

## Effect of a Shell In Manila.

There are many buildings in Manila and along the coast line of the bay that show the effects of the projectiles fired from the ships which made Admiral Dewey famous throughout the world. They also show that the guns were handled by well trained men. Some of the houses were completely demolished, while others were badly injured. Where the shots landed they did effective work.



The little house shown in the picture is one which was struck by a small shell fired from one of the ships at the time the city was captured. As will be seen, it took away a great portion of the side wall and left an opening through which a man could easily crawl. The impact of the shell ground the adobe bricks into powder, and sent the debris flying in all directions. The little building is situated just outside of the great wall that surrounds the city and was a good target for the men on board the vessels. It was one of the houses used by the fishermen. It was thought during the battle to be one of the sentry stations. There are many buildings in the city proper which received scars from the shots that went over the wall, and these buildings are mute tributes to the superior marksmanship of the men behind the American gun.

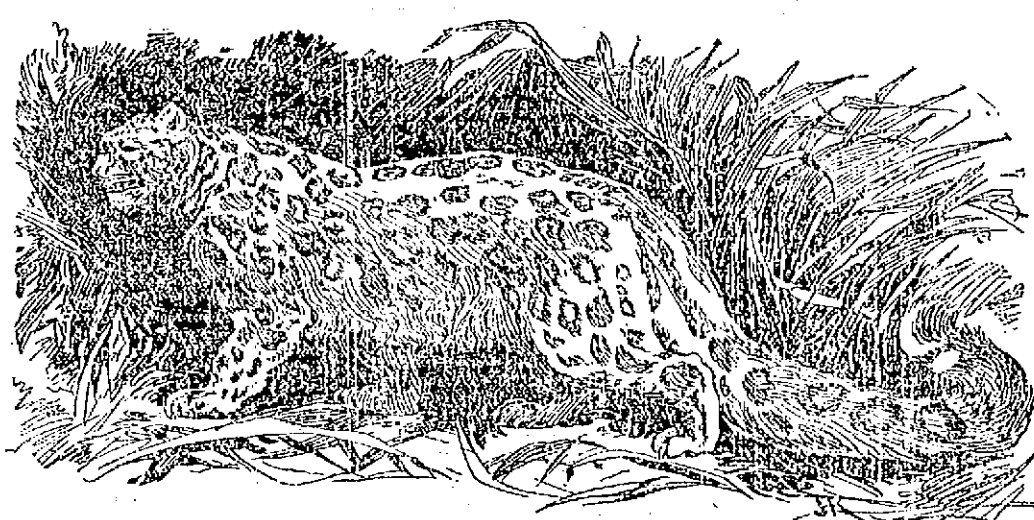
## PRINCE GEORGE IS CRETE'S NEW RULER.



Prince George of Greece is before the public eye again. He has been nominated by the four powers to act as high commissioner of Crete, and it is hoped that in this way the trouble which has been caused by the Turkish troops on that island will be obliterated. Since the Turko-Grecian war many pictures have been published of Prince George. None, however, has shown him since he developed into manhood. Most of the pictures were taken when he was yet a very young man. He is now but 23 years of age. The picture given here is from one of the latest photographs taken of the prince.

Prince George will act as high commissioner, which in the same as governor, for a period of two or three years. He promises to endeavor to give equal justice to the two elements which go largely to make up the population of the island. Turkey has protested against the nomination of Prince George, and it is not believed that the powers have formally notified the Porte of the nomination of the prince as commissioner. The lust of the Turkish troops have evicted Crete, and it is believed that order and peace will easily be restored. Prince George is the second son of the king and queen of Greece. He was born at Corfu in 1875.

## The Rare White Leopard of the Paris Zoo.

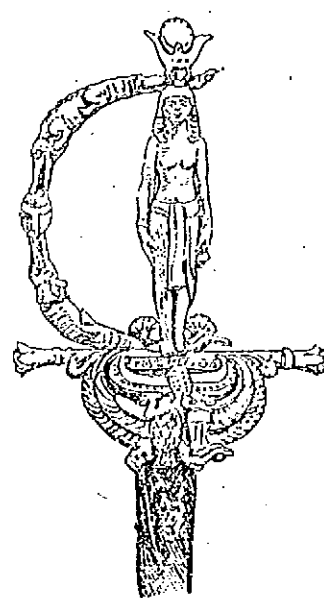


The Jardin des Plantes in Paris is in possession of a rare and beautiful animal. In fact it is believed to be the only one of its kind in captivity and is now the center of attraction. The animal in question is a white leopard and was captured in Turkestan. The fur of the ordinary leopard is a yellowish brown, over which are distributed spots of a darker hue. The one now in captivity in Paris is a bluish white, with black spots. Its tail is of immense length and is the same color as the body.

The beast was captured by Prince Gargarie, after much trouble. During the struggle which led up to its capture it received a gunshot wound. As soon as this had healed, the animal was sent to Paris. In its home in Turkestan it was known for its savagery, and for a long time it was impossible to capture it. The leopard was confined in a trap by the prince. It stood the transportation to Paris without difficulty and seems to be fully contented in its new quarters.

## Marchand's Sword.

When an officer of the army or navy of any country specially distinguishes himself by some meritorious deed of gallantry or in some other way proves



worthy of reward, it is a very general custom to present him with a sword of honor, as was recently done in the cases of Admirals Dewey and Schley in this country.

The French people have just taken this means of showing their appreciation of the services rendered to France by Major Marchand, whose expedition to Fashoda so nearly resulted in a war with England. The sword, however, will be given him partly because of the discoveries which the intrepid explorer made in that hitherto almost unknown region of Africa.

Parasol Punishment. In the code and sacred books of the Persians no provision is made for capital punishment, but a culprit is to be beaten with a number of blows, proportioned to his offense, and if he succumbs no one is to blame.

## Passing of the Jinrikisha.

Americans traveling in Japan take much delight in going about the country in the picturesque jinrikishas. They



were until recently the only means of transportation. Modern civilization has done much to improve Japan. Steam railroads have taken the place of the jinrikishas in long distance travels. They are now to be found only in the cities and towns. They are built after the fashion of a two

wheeled phaeton, with the exception that they are not fitted with dashboards and no horses are used to draw them. Strong lumber, deep of carving, natives draw them about from place to place. The power of endurance of these men is wonderful, and the rate of speed at which they cover the ground is almost beyond comprehension. The body of the carriage is set on well balanced

springs, which keep it from jolting. It is claimed that the jinrikisha is the invention of an American missionary.

## NOTES FOR THE CURIOUS.

Prairie dogs are increasing so rapidly in Texas that the people are holding public meetings to formulate some mode of protection.

Samory, the fallen west African potentate, captured by the French, has had a most picturesque career. He began life as a slave and rose to the dignity of a king. His real chance came when he was captured in a raid-

ing expedition by the Moslem sultan of Senegambia. He was drafted into the army, made a fine soldier, and as he rose in grade his views expanded until finally he ran away to set up as a potentate on his own account. His native town was the object of his first raid. From that time his power grew almost

without hindrance until he began to knock his head against the French sharpshooters.

Experiments made in Paris show that an electric wagon costs 47 per cent less to run than a horse wagon and 32 per cent less than a petroleum motor.

More than 40 per cent of the British people could not write their names when Queen Victoria ascended the throne. The proportion in that condition has now been reduced to 7 per cent.

An insurance company of Warsaw, Russian Poland, has discharged all the male agents and solicitors, appointing

women in their stead, since it appeared that women make much better agents than men.

In 15 years Russia has sent 621,000 persons to Siberia, fully 100,000 relatives of prisoners having accompanied the exiles of their own free will.

Lord Ilchester has 11,000 swans upon his estate at Abbotsburg, a charming little village, a few miles from Weymouth, England. The cost of caring for the swans averages over \$10,000 a year.

Before the war Cuba contributed about one-twelfth of all the tobacco used in the world.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.**  
Sail on the Ocean, Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allen, French and German lines to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown and Liverpool. Drafts issued on all routes on all parts of Ireland at Murphy's agency, 15 Appleton street.

**GOOD TEAS AND COFFEES.**  
Our teas are strictly new crop, high grade. Our coffees are fresh roasted and ground to order. DICKSON BROS., 55 North Main street.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**BURN WILSON'S COAL.**  
Smokers enjoy Old Hundred Cigars. Old Farmers' Almanac at Merrill's. T. C. Lee, wire line, 221 Central street. Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone, 432-1.

To realize the heat in coal, buy some of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thordike St. Watches cleaned, \$1.00; best work, clocks cleaned, 50c. up. Harris, 10 Appleton street.

The Leather Shearers' union will hold a cake walk and dance Friday night, at Associate hall.

Winter term begins January 2nd at Miss Hurd's school. Shorthand and typewriting exclusively taught by the latest and most improved methods.

## AMERICAN BOLT COMPANY.

The American Bolt company corporation at the annual meeting yesterday afternoon, chose the following board of directors: James Minters, Paul Butler, Percy Parker, M. C. A. Butcher and Alfred Clark in place of the late Prentiss Webster. Paul Butler was re-elected president and Percy Parker, treasurer. The latter was also chosen clerk in place of the late Prentiss Webster.

## PLAINTIFF LOST.

In a recent batch of decisions handed down by the full bench of the supreme court was a decision in the case of Henry A. Davis, assignee of Henry A. Davis, Henry C. Hathaway and others, against the Massachusetts Baptist convention et al.

Suit was brought to compel an accounting by a purchaser at a mortgagee's sale for profits realized on a resale of the property. The full court affirmed the decree of the superior court, dismissing the plaintiff's bill.

## VIOLENCE FEARED

**TO A FORMER LOWELL MAN AT SPRINGFIELD.**

Mr. Simon Deane of Lawrence street left Lowell today, for Springfield, to prosecute inquiries as to the exact cause of the recent death of his brother, Michael Deane, at the almshouse hospital of that city. The latter will be remembered as formerly in the employ of Mr. Edward Cawley and one of the players of Lowell. It is thought by Lowell relatives to have resulted from unnecessary violence. Murks found on the body led to this belief. A thorough investigation will be made. So Mr. Simon Deane informed a Sun reporter. The funeral of deceased took place on Monday forenoon from the Catholic church in West Springfield, where a regular mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of the deceased.

## ANNUAL MEETING

**OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE AYER HOME.**

The annual meeting of the Ayer Home directors was held yesterday, and the following officers were elected: Clerk, Miss Mary A. Webster; treasurer, Mr. Charles A. Richardson; auditor, Dr. M. G. Parker; directors, Mrs. C. E. Nichols, Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. Robt. Wood, Mrs. F. F. Battles, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Miss Mary Wight, Miss Charlotte Kitchin, Mrs. B. M. Tucke, Mrs. Charlotte Kitchin, Mrs. E. M. Tucke, Mrs. F. C. Church, Mrs. E. T. Trull, Mrs. Charles H. Coburn, Mrs. E. T. Rowell, Mrs. A. G. Cummock, Mr. Fred Lawrence, Mr. Walter Cobburn, Mr. W. W. Johnson, Dr. M. G. Parker, Mrs. C. A. Richardson.

Mrs. C. E. Nichols declined to serve as president and the place will be filled at the next meeting of the directors. The following new members were elected: Mrs. A. K. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. H. Spalding, Mrs. M. G. Perkins, Mrs. G. E. Fenniman, Mrs. Adelaide Wood, Mrs. George A. Marden, Mrs. Andrew Bates, Mr. E. T. Walker, Mr. Andrew Bates, Mrs. Walter Parker, Mrs. L. T. Trull and Mr. Alfred E. Rose. Mrs. Bouviere was elected member of the home for the ensuing year.

## BOWLING NEWS.

**GAMES WERE PLAYED AT ARMOY, HIGHLAND, WAMESET, AND MISERABLES ALLEYS.**

The Wamesets had a comparatively easy time defeating the Belmonts at the Wameset alleys last night. The home club winning by about 35 pins. In the final trial, the Belmonts lagged while their opponents "made hay while the sun shone." The score: Wamesets—Belmont, 521; McCormick 414; Deane, 462; Merrill, 456; Gregory, 411; totals, 2137.

Belmonts—Adams, 458; Fels, 463; Hill 446; Leonard, 438; Wilson, 453; totals, 2252.

At the armory yesterday Dodge's Warriors, with a record and a team which "Billy" Prescott met and immediately enlisted, rolled a game which received the attention of all the boys. The score: Dodge's Warriors—Husby, 420; Dodge, 439; Williams, 476; Duran, 451; Driscoll, 518; totals, 2374.

Prescott's Pickups—Prescott, 495; Richardson, 411; Varnum, 343; Jones, 443; Brock, 432; totals, 2527.

Games at the Highland club last night resulted as follows: Team Seven—Hawes, 450; Thompson, 460; Wellman, 451; Wyman, 448; Donovan, 376; totals, 2181.

Team Ten—Hartwell, 516; Crawford, 412; Wilson, 420; Kenney, 407; Kilgore, 430; totals, 2181.

Team One—Barton, 480; L. F. Kitchin, 452; Kirby, 473; Tarbell, 447; Taylor, 435; totals, 2237.

Team Six—A. H. Kittredge, 377; Swift, 401; Hanson, 379; Weaver, 435; Tilton, 401; totals, 2081.

Dr. C. O. Dentist, 101 North St.

# BOTH BRANCHES MET

## But the Aldermen Did Not Ballot.

### Assessors Matter Gets Further Attention and a Hearing is Scheduled—Mahoney and Wheeler Elected Assessors by Common Council—A Resolution to Bring Bodies of Soldiers From Cuba.

Suits were at a premium at city hall last evening when both branches of the city council held disappointingly quiet meetings, the absence of Alderman McNulty causing no balloting in the upper branch. The lower branch balloted mainly on the city messenger matter but without coming to a choice. Lorenzo Smith showed the greater strength. Again there was repeated ballot box stuffing in the lower branch. In this body, too, John P. Mahoney and Abel Wheeler were re-elected as principal assessors.

**COMMON COUNCIL.**  
Twenty-six members of the common council responded to the roll call at 8:15 o'clock and in the absence of Clerk Dowling who was ill, Councilman Murkland officiated in that position. The appointment of Lawrence J. Thyme as pound keeper was concurred in after which the notice of the election of General Dimon as chairman of the board of aldermen was read.

Notice of the election of John H. Riordan to the water board in non-conformance was read and the election of Joseph A. Hickey as a fence viewer was concurred in.

The following joint resolution authorizing His Honor, the mayor, to cause bodies of Sergeant Ralph B. Walker and Private Joseph L. Wallace, late of Company M, Ninth Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers to be brought to Lowell and buried, was introduced by Councilman Mitten:

"Resolved by the board of aldermen and common council of the city of Lowell in the city council assembled as follows: That His Honor, the mayor, be and he is hereby authorized to cause the bodies of Sergeant Ralph B. Walker and Private Joseph L. Wallace, late of Company M, Ninth Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers, who died in Cuba during the late war with Spain, to be brought to Lowell and buried at the expense not to exceed \$500, the same to be charged to the appropriation for incidentals."

The order was unanimously adopted. An order for a joint special committee on insurance was adopted and Councilmen Wiggin, Murkland, and Roark were named as a committee.

On motion of Councilman Wiggin the council proceeded to ballot for a member of the water board and Messrs. Wiggin, Lebrun and Mullaney were named as a committee to receive and count ballots.

The first ballot resulted as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 23 Necessary to a choice ..... 12 J. P. Mahoney ..... 23 J. H. Riordan ..... 12 H. C. Taft ..... 9 J. W. Bennett ..... 4

The president declared "no choice" and at 8:32 o'clock on motion of Councilman Badger a recess of five minutes was voted.

At 9 o'clock the republicans, who went into caucus immediately after the recess was voted came in and the council was called to order.

The petition of John A. Faulkner for the extension of Mansur street and that of the estate of John M. Pevey and notices of suits were referred to their proper committees, as was done in the upper branch.

Alderman Pelee's appropriation order was adopted in concurrence as was all other concurrent business sent down, the committee appointed on soldiers' records being Councilmen Mitten, Hatch and Murkland.

On motion of Councilman Wiggin the council proceeded to ballot for a member of the board of assessors of taxes for two years.

Messrs. Wiggin, Saunders and Roark were appointed a committee to receive and count ballots.

The committee reported the result of the ballot as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 23 Necessary to a choice ..... 12 John P. Mahoney ..... 23 John H. Riordan ..... 12 H. C. Taft ..... 9 J. W. Bennett ..... 4

The ballot was declared void and on motion of Councilman Wiggin a secretary was instructed to count one ballot for Mr. Mahoney and Mr. Mahoney was elected in that manner an assessor of taxes for two years.

On motion of Councilman Mullaney a ballot was then taken for a member of the water board and Messrs. Mullaney, Baker and Brown were named as a committee to receive and count ballots.

The result was announced as follows: Whole number of votes cast ..... 23 Necessary to a choice ..... 12 L. E. Smith ..... 12 F. M. Fagan ..... 10 C. F. Goring ..... 5 W. E. Savage ..... 1

The ballot was declared void. "Inasmuch as the council cannot agree upon a candidate for city messenger," said Mr. Markham. "I move that the secretary be instructed to cast one ballot for F. M. Fagan."

The motion was defeated and a ballot was taken for an assessor with the following result: Necessary to a choice ..... 23 Abel Wheeler ..... 23 John E. Maguire ..... 3 There was no choice and on motion of Councilman Wiggin, a ballot was taken for an assessor of taxes for three years with this result: Whole number of votes cast ..... 23 Necessary to a choice ..... 12 J. P. Mahoney ..... 23 John H. Riordan ..... 12 H. C. Taft ..... 9 J. W. Bennett ..... 4

At 10:30 Councilman Lyman moved to adjourn but the motion was lost and on motion of Councilman Wiggin a ballot was taken for assessor for two years, the legality of Mr. Mahoney's election being questioned on account of Mr. Clark's opposition when the ballot was authorized to cast one ballot for him.

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# STEADY PLODDING COUNTS

## One Hour Sales.

The Great Alteration Sale brings along a steady stream of customers to the Bon Marche, which is much preferred to the large crowds on Saturday.

We have inaugurated for the benefit of our customers one hour sales: 1st, we designate the hour from 9 until 10 a.m. to sell certain extra specials; 2nd, the hour from 2 to 3 p.m. for certain other specials as appended. We do this to give all our patrons a chance to secure some of the extraordinary things offered at this sale. We think by designating a certain hour (in which we will sell the things which all grab for) that if a lady cannot come today she can come tomorrow and so on and will find when she comes the goods as advertised and not be disappointed by being told the goods are all sold. We wish it most distinctly understood that we advertise just what we can back up with merchandise and prices, anything to the contrary reported to the management will be appreciated.

**FROM 9 O'CLOCK UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK TODAY.**

|                                                           |                                                      |                                                                                                                                                         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Men's 65c. Flannelette Night Shirts, one hour, 25c. each. | 25c. Jersey Vests, one hour, 9c. each.               | 5c. Lining Cambric, one hour, 2c. a yard.                                                                                                               |
| 5c. Towels, one hour 1 1-2c. each.                        | 12 1-2c. Pure Candles, one hour, 5c. a pound.        | 10c. paper cover novels, one hour, 1c. each.                                                                                                            |
| 25c. Woodbury Facial Soap, 7c. a cake.                    | 12 1-2c. Window Shades, complete, one hour 5c. each. | N. B.—For one hour each day while the goods last. Positively none sold to peddlers or clerks, nor any at wholesale. We reserve the right to quantities. |
| 10c. Fruit of the Loom Cotton, yard wide, 5c. a yard.     | 50c. Ladies' Rubbers, one hour, 19c. a pair.         |                                                                                                                                                         |
| 25c. Neckwear, Tecks and Bows, 12 1-2c. each.             | 1c. J. & P. Coats' Special Cotton, 1 1-2c. a spool.  |                                                                                                                                                         |

**FROM 10 UNTIL 2 WE WILL INTRODUCE NEW LOTS AT UNPRECEDENTED PRICES.**

**FROM 2 O'CLOCK UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK TODAY**

|                                                          |                                                             |                                                                                                                                   |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 5c. Print Remnants, for one hour, 1c. a yard.            | 50c. Ladies' Corsets, all sizes, one hour, 25c.             | 3c. Tumblers, banded, one hour, 1c. each.                                                                                         |
| 5c. Continental C Cotton, one hour, 3c. a yard.          | 12 1-2c. Germantown Yarn, one hour, 6 3-4c. a skein.        | 25c. and 50c. Untrimmed Hats, one hour, 1c. each.                                                                                 |
| 75c. Auslin Curtains with ruffle, one hour, 35c. a pair. | 15c. English Silesia Remnants, one hour, 7c. a yard.        | 12 1-2c. Fleece Lined Hose, one hour, 5c. a pair.                                                                                 |
| 35c. Ladies' Night Robes, one hour, 15c. each.           | 25c. 40-inch Jacquard Novelty Dress Goods, 12 1-2c. a yard. | N. B.—For one hour each day while the goods last. Positively none sold to peddlers or clerks. We reserve the right to quantities. |
| 12-50 Ladies' Shoes, all sizes, one hour, \$1.40 a pair. | 5c. Laundry Soap, one hour, 1c. a cake.                     |                                                                                                                                   |

From 3 until 6 we will make you happy with bargains that you never even dreamt of. Come on! Come on! Come on! This is a Bona Fide Alteration Closing Out Sale.

# THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS COMPANY

reading of it took up considerable time. On motion of Alderman Pelee the communication was referred to the joint standing committee on streets when it shall be appointed.

Next came the city solicitor's opinion on the matter of salaries as published in The Sun on Saturday. The opinion was placed on file in the city clerk's office.

**ASSESSORS' MATTER.**  
Then Mayor Crowley surprised the members by reading the following communication and propositions regarding the assessors' matter:

To His Honor, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Lowell: Gentlemen—We most respectfully invite your attention to the fact that Lowell, already overburdened by excessive taxes, is now looking to its assessors for a practical economic remedy to reduce the same in the various departments of the city government.

The assessors' department is one that is in a notoriously unsettled condition. Two commissioners have investigated this branch of the city service and both considered the assistant assessors particularly as too expensive. In view of this fact, the city's needs and the mayor's recommendations for economy in all departments this year, we ask you to consider the following propositions and grant a hearing upon the same:

First—We will agree to do the work of the assistant assessors for the next two years at the rate of five thousand dollars (\$5000) per year. It now costs seventy-two hundred dollars (\$7200) per year. Contract to be drawn by the mayor and city solicitor subject to the approval of the board of aldermen.

Second—The names of the men selected to do the work of assessing shall be submitted to the mayor and board of aldermen on or before March 1, 1899, for confirmation in accordance with Section 2, Chapter 3 of the Charter and Ordinance of the City of Lowell.

Third—The payment of said five thousand dollars (\$5000) per annum to the undersigned shall relieve the city of Lowell from any and all claims for said assistant assessors.

Fourth—Said board to be constituted equally of democrats and republicans, men of character and fitness.

Fifth—A bond approved by the mayor and city solicitor for the performance of said contract will be furnished. (Signed)

Daniel J. Donahue, Lawrence Cummings, Alderman Dimon said that he could not see how the communication could be entertained without annulling the charter and ordinances which provide for the election of assessors.

Mayor Crowley stated that no amendment has been made to the city ordinances in regard to the appointment of assessors although the ordinances provide only for six assessors whereas by a house-petition of the legislature there are now nine wards. "This government," continued the mayor, "should finally settle the matter of the assessors. Many complaints have been made in the mayor's office of the unsettled condition of affairs in the assessors' office and I hope this city council will settle the matter, the status of the office, the number of the assessors, their compensation, etc., and I trust speedy action will be taken."

Alderman Pelee said he believed with John Quincy Adams in the divine right of petitions and he moved that a hearing be granted to the petitioners or any other persons interested at the next meeting of the board.

Alderman Dimon stated that he had no intention of denying the right of petition. He simply called attention to the fact that the ordinance as they exist today, forbid the entertainment of any such propositions as are contained in the petition. He was heartily in favor of a hearing on a petition to regulate and improve the state of affairs in the assessors' department. He was heartily in favor of any portion of the petition containing advice but he did not think the board could legally bear any such proposition.

Mayor Crowley said that the communication contained no request for a hearing.

Alderman Miskella, in seconding Alderman Pelee's motion, said that he

felt that the board could not bear any too much knowledge on the matter. The public demands a settlement of the matter and we should get at it speedily.

The motion as put by Alderman Pelee was carried and a hearing will be held at the next meeting.

Alderman Dimon then suggested that the members of last year's government who investigated the assessors' department be invited to give their views on the matter at the hearing.

Alderman Pelee's joint order for a statement from all heads of departments as to their expenditures, uncompleted work and estimates which Alderman Taylor had laid on the table was next taken up.

The order was unanimously adopted. An order for a committee on record of soldiers and sailors was read and Alderman Dimon explained that the tablets in Memorial Hall had been completed but the committee found last year that there was no evidence of any data by which the people of Lowell of the future could know of the war of '61 and what became of them and in the future the friends of the soldiers of the Spanish war will want and need a record of the soldiers of that war. There is a substantial sum left to the credit of the committee and no additional expense will be entailed.

The order was adopted unanimously. An ordinance introduced by Alderman Libby in relation to the assessment of taxes, appointment of assessors, their compensation, etc., was referred to the committee on ordinances and legislation.

An order instructing the city clerk to transfer papers to the new city government was also adopted.

The report of the inspector of milk was referred to the committee on appropriations as was the report of the board of health.

A joint resolution for a joint special committee on insurance was read.

"For years this has been the right of the mayor and I'd like to know the reason for changing the custom," answered the mayor.

The joint resolution was not passed in concurrence, Alderman Taylor and Wilder alone voting in favor of it, Alderman Derby not voting.

Alderman Taylor asked what insurance there was for such a committee to take charge of and he was informed that it is the insurance upon the school house and city hall boilers.

A joint resolution to have the mayor cause the bodies of Sgt. Walker and Private Wallace of Company M, who died in Cuba, to be brought to Lowell and buried at an expense not exceeding \$500 was amended by Alderman Dimon to have the amount \$350, and to add the name of Herbert C. Bellamy of Company C, who lies buried at Utuado, Porto Rico.

This will take all the soldiers from Lowell now buried in Cuba or Porto Rico. The amended resolution was passed and sent down for concurrence.

J. W. Bennett was granted a license to occupy Thordike street and the new business was ended.

Alderman Derby immediately arose to say something and it was to state that he could not serve on the committee on street lighting and electric wires, as he would be constantly under the lash, for his actions, as he is in the employ of the Lowell Electric Light company. He could not act on these committees legally, he said.

Mayor Crowley stated that he merely considered Alderman Derby's value in appointing him on the committee. Alderman Derby replied that he had been criticized and lashed in this body before and did not want to act on these committees to prevent any further criticism.

Mayor Crowley accepted Alderman Derby's declination with regret. Mayor Crowley appointed Alderman Dimon and Wilder on the committee on records of soldiers and sailors. Adjourned at 2:45.

OFFICE TO LET—In The Sun building. Inquire at Sun office.

## CARDERS' ANNUAL

The National Association Met in Boston.

**JAMES COLLANGE OF LOWELL PRESIDENT.**

Organizing Committee Will Soon Visit Here.

At the annual meeting of the Carders' National Association in Boston, the following officers were elected: President—James Collange of Lowell. Vice-President—John W. Garner of Ashton.

Secretary—James Tansey of Fall River. Treasurer—George Midgeon of Fall River.

Charles Gilmore of New Bedford, John Johnson of Ashton, were added to the executive committee.

Organizing Committee—John J. Waldron and Secretary Tansey and Charles Burke of Fall River.

Delegates from Lowell, Ashton, Lonsdale, New Bedford, Fall River, and Dover, N. H., were present, and also representatives from Manchester, N. H.

Requests have been made from time to time for speakers to go to places where card room operatives have evidenced a desire to become organized. It was also thought desirable that these places where unions have been organized should be visited occasionally to keep such organizations alive.

An invitation was read, asking the organizing committee to visit Lewiston, Me., and on the 15th Messrs. Waldron and Tansey start for that place and will also visit Lowell and Manchester; a week later they will visit the Blackstone valley.

Reports by delegates relative to employment were very encouraging. In Lowell only was there any dullness, and in Fall River in two mills, some of the departments were running but four days per week. In most of the places mills are running overtime, especially in New Bedford, where several mills are running night.

There was considerable discussion on the wage question and the sentiment expressed by the delegates was that there should be a restoration of wages. It was voted that should any local union affiliated with the national association become involved in trouble as a result of a demand for an increase in wages that the funds of the national organization and its moral support shall be at its disposal.

**PRESENTED LOVING CUP**  
BANQUET TO VICTOR I. CUMMOCK LAST EVENING.

The overseers of the Boot mill entertained a delightful complimentary banquet to Agent Victor I. Cummock at the hotel Belvidere last evening, about 75 attending. An excellent menu was provided by Messrs. Cudworth and Ramsay and it was followed by pleasant post-prandial exercises. Thomas E. Smolker presided and William Houson was toastmaster.

A loving cup was formally presented to Mr. Cummock by Paymaster J. C. Marshall in behalf of those present in an appropriate address.

An entertainment program followed with which the evening was made merry. There were songs by Mr. Cummock, William Houson and J. W. Needham; reminiscent remarks by nearly every overseer and heads of departments present, including Edwin E. Reed, formerly an overseer, now an employe in the wool mill, who has been connected with the mills for 43 years; piano solos by James Houson and harp selection by Wm. Rice.

Mr. Cummock and wife will sail for Egypt, Jan. 23, and will be absent one year. They have engaged passage on an express Mediterranean liner which will touch but two points en route, the first stop being at Gibraltar.</